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MONDAY,

Shell Remains of Kwangtung Capital Empty

FOUR FROM FLAMES FIRES END FROM

Last Act By Chinese In Evacuation Tragedy

ITERALLY SWAMPING CANTON FROM END TO END WITH PETROL AND KEROSENE, CHINESE REMNANTS AND CIVILIANS STARTED ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON THE BIGGEST MAN-MADE FIRE SINCE MOSCOW WAS BURNED IN 1812 TO CHECK NAPOLEAN.

A city which was once the home of nearly 2,000,000 people, and whose sons are scattered throughout the world, is rapidly being consumed by the flames, which have swept through all the most important blocks, leaving nothing but gutted ruins in their wake.

Fanned by a stiff north-easterly wind, the conflagration roared through Canton throughout Saturday night and all day yesterday and this morning was still burning fiercely in the Saichuen and Honam districts.

Wuhan Walls Placarded

HANKOW, Oct. 24. THE CHINESE Students Association Anti-Jananese yesterday evening placarded and painted in Japanese slogans on many of Hankow's

walls, which read: "Japanese soldiers! Hankow is your grave-Japanese soldiersi Revolt against your militarists!"-United Press.

TERRIBLE HAVOC IN HANKOW

Continuous Raids By Japanese Planes

HANKOW, Oct. 24. OW-FLYING SQUADRONS of Wuchang foreshore soon after 6 | have disappeared. o'clock yesterday morning. They were met by heavy anti-aircraft

A single scouting machine flew low over Hankow for two hours, and intermittently straffed the outskirts of the city, Later in the morning nine heavy bombers attacked the training of the Canton-Hankow four of which broke out simultanessions were constantly saturated with railway, and started four large fires, ously in widely scattered areas, were water to prevent them catching of the canton-Hankow four of which broke out simultanessions were constantly saturated with Nine enemy machines first are in Hongkong?" Mr. Soong was departments is thought a possibility. HEAVY JAPANESE BOM-(Continued on Page 12.)

The flames, spreading from building to building as bamboo bomb racks, placed atop the structures for protection against air raids, spared neither European nor Chinese premises in their ferocious and all-consuming advance through the heart of Canton.

The central and Bund areas are heaps of smouldering

Where once stood the remains of the Wongsha district, which suffered so heavily from Japanese air raids, are now two gigantic craters.

arrested.

city, to Wongsho.

to cool off,

One Chinese who attempted to

set Shameen alight has been

The fires commenced simultaneous-

Another confingration almost com-

every available garden hose.

they were quickly subdued.

extended for about two miles.

Municipal | Headquarters,

(Continued on Page: 5.)

the Provincial

INTENSE HEAT

ly on Saturday afternoon in Wongsha,

Honum Island, and the southern,

They were caused when two saturated wide areas with kerosene ammunition dumps exploded at and petrol. 10.10 a.m. The explosions showered Shameen with debris for fully five minutes, wounding two Chinese on the Island and severely damaging at least twenty buildings in the British northern and bund areas of the city

Concession. The damage on the western end of They raged along the entire bund from east of the damaged Pearl Shameen island was so severe that most of the buildings had to be River Bridge, past the Shakee Canal evacuated. The walls of famous which divides Shameen from the Christ Church were cracked, the Italian Consulate collapsed. Among the buildings on Shameen which have had to be evacuated are the the heart of the business area from A,P.C. and Loxley & Co. premises. The Chartered Bank was also considerably damaged.

At Wongsha the havor wrought by the explosions is terrific. The Japanese planes bombed the entire railway station and yards day.

Locomotive, trucks, carriages and a huge pile of war materials await. ing shipment to Hankow were blown sky high, landing hundreds of yards away in the most grotesque and twisted shapes.

SATURATED AREAS

terminus of the Canton-Hankow four of which broke out simultaneapparently igniting oil and gas, caused by the Chinese, who were wit- alight, Inessed by several Europeans as they

Colony's Future After The Fall of Canton

LONDON, Oct. 23. THE UNEXPECTEDLY rapid fall of Canton gives rise in England to certain suspicions, which are voiced in the Sunday Times. The paper remarks that the small number of Japanese troops, combined with the total absence of resistance on the part of the Chinese might justify the surmise that one or other Cornese general would eventually be indicted for high treason.

The consequences of the capture for Great Britain. Hongkong, which of Canton, according to the paper, has already suffered much from the were equally serious for China, who hostilities, and which is filled to overthereby loses her remaining port, and (Continued on Page 5.)



PHOTOGRAPH SHOWS A BRITISH GUNBOAT lying off Shameen, in the Pearl River. Honum Island, which is fiercely ablaze, is across the river. The British authorities have refused to accede to a demand that British gunboats should be removed from Canton up the Pearl River.

Leaders Chinese



WANG CHUNG-HUI

THOUSAND DIE: SHIP BOMBED

Terrible Japanese Atrocity In Yangtse River

Hankow, Oct. 23. A BOUT 1,000 PASSENpletely gutted nine blocks through GERS aboard the the bund to the Goddess of Mercy steamer Klang Hein of the forthcoming from United Press, which The Honam Island waterfront, on the other side of the Pearl River. was completely ablaze all day yester- Navigation Co., are believed Chiang Kat-shek and Mr. W. H. Duff-Cooper, and the death of the flerce flames in the vicinity to have been either killed or trallan adviser, are in Hongkong. Lord Stanley, is regarded as unof Shameen, especially at the wounded when Japanese The "Telegraph" interviewed Mr. likely. French end, sent showers of aircraft bombed the vessel T. V. Soong regarding the rumours. The creation of three new minis-sparks over the Anglo-French Con- aircraft bombed the vessel When asked to confirm or deny re- tries—National Defence, Supply, and cessions, necessitating the utmost in the Yangtse at Chang- ports that Madame Chiang Kai-shek Civil Shipping-which has been the vigilance on the part of all the lingki near Yoyang at 3 was in Hongkong, Mr. Soong replied: subject of speculation, is thought to residents, who turned fire-fighters lingki near Yoyang at 3 "The report is a monstrous fabrica- be quite out of the question, and

appeared over Changsha at asked. 10.05 in the morning, drawing So intense was the heat from heavy fire from Chinese antincross the narrow channel that aircraft batteries. "They flew foreign residents manning the Sha- northward to Paishul station, 40 meen defences had to constantly miles north of Changsha on the retire from the waterfront in order Canton-Hankow Railway, where they dropped two bombs, causing Two small fires were started at the slight damage to the railway track. After raiding Paishul, they pro-French end of the Concession, but

ceeded to Yoyang, releasing several Along the bund the flames bombs at Chenglingki, In the afternoon nine other planes Buildings destroyed by the ugain made their appearance over flames included the famous Temple Yoyang and Changlingki. It was at of the Great Budda, the Flowery this time that the Kinng Hain was

and bombed. Yunki station, 14 miles north of Ministry of Finance, the Great Changsha on the Canton-Hankow Eastern Rolei, the New Asia Railway, was also raided by these than 10 civilians Central News | constitute the bulk of the population.

In H.K.

JURING THE WEEK-END authoritative but unofficial Chinese sources reported that Messrs. Wang Chung-hui, Foreign Minister, and Wang Ching-wei, arrived secretly in Hongkong on Saturday morning. Efforts by the "Telegraph" to officially confirm these rumours have met with no success.

However, a "Telegraph" representative has statements from two Chinese who allege that they have already spoken to Mr. Wang Ching-wei in Hong-

The purpose of the visit to Hongkong, state the rumours, is in connection with peace negotiations.

The name of the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Kerr-Clarke-Kerr, has been freely mentioned as media-

This part of the rumours, however, has been definitely quashed firstly, by an official statement by the Ambaisador to the "Telegraph" that he is not participating in any mediatory tank and that he has seen neither Mr. Wang Chung-hul nor Mr. Wang Ching-wel and, secondly, by the departure for Chungking of the Ambassador at

midnight. Support for the rumours that the two Chinese leaders is, however,

Yoyang was raided twice by my knowledge, is not here."

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WANG CHING-WEI

NO MAJOR CHANGES IN CABINET

Premier Expected To Decide

LONDON, Oct. 23. SWEEPING RECONSTRUC-TION of the Cabinet, follow-Merchants Steam reports that they are in Hongkong. TION of the Cabinet, 10110w-

and manned bucket brigades and O'clock yesterday afternoon, tion. Madame Chiang, to the best of some circles will be very surprised if even one new Ministry is created OFFICIALLY. "Have your heard that Mr. Wang at present, though eventually some THAT departments is thought a possibility. (Continued on Page 5.)

Death- Threat To Arabs Who Register Names

JERUSALEM, Oct. 23.

THE RECENT GOVERNMENT order that an male inhabitants over 16 years of age should register for cards of identity has resulted in the Arab leaders issuing counter-orders to their countrymen, in which they declare that anyone known to have obtained one of these cards will be summarily shot dead.

The Government order is intended | Buildings at the Jaffa rallway Hetel, the Houskong Ferry planes. Abbut 10 missiles were primarily to inscertain the loyal station were set after this morning, wharves, the Fost Office, New dropped, killing and wounding more elements in the Arab peasantry, who but the flames were extinguished

Amans Win \$88,000 Sweep

SYNDICATE AGAIN WINS BIG PRIZE

TO SAY THAT Dame Fortune plays the most freakish tricks sometimes may be trite, but is certain-

Remember the syndicate of Kowloon amahs who won the big Derby sweep at the last annual race meeting of

the Hongkong Jockey Club? On that occasion, they split up a sum of \$145,000 among

When Salvage Master, which had been drawn by Ticket No. 175238, crossed the finishing line at the head of the field on Saturday in the Kwangtung Handicap, the syndicate of amaha again

Their prize on this occasion is

\$88,963.18. Many members of the present syndicate also had a share in the last hand-out.

In this case, it is understood that 199 amalis got together and bought a total of 55 tickets, one of which drew Salvage Master.

CAPTURED BY BANDITS

The majority of the amahs who made, small fortunes on the 1938 Derby did not keep their money for long, however.

They retired on their winnings and went back to live in the country. It was not long before bandits got wind of the offair, and one night they swooped down on Shuntak-the village in which most of the fortunate women lived-and took the whole lot into custody.

A major portion of the winnings passed into the hands of the bandits as ransom.

LATE NEWS

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BRITISH **GUNBOAT** BOMBED

"TELEGRAPH" IS INFORMED "H.M.S. SANDPIPER BERS IN THE VICINITY OF CHANGSHA THIS MORNING. A LARGE NUMBER OF BOMBS FELL AROUND THE WARSHIP.

SUPERFICIAL DAMAGE WAS CAUSED TO THE SUPERSTRUCTURE, APPAR-ENTLY BY SPLINTERS FROM

THE BOMBS. WE ARE INFORMED THAT THERE WERE NO CASUAL-

(Further Late News on 1

Page 12.)

Please don't cry!

-BUT of course, so many of us do. And although a few tears may be effective and rather romantic, swollen cyclids, a red nose, bedraggled make-up, and all the post-cry symptoms are definitely NOT at all attractive. So if your emotions temporarily get the better of you, hit back quickly with these First Aid measures—

- Get three pads of cotton-wool, two for your eyes, one for your forehead.
- 9 Fill a basin full of warm water and dip your face in it for a
- 2 Pat it dry and massage in skin food or cleansing cream.
- Soak the cotton wool pads in skin tonic or witch hazel (or cold water), put them on your eyes and forehead, and go and lie down for 15 minutes, thinking of absolutely nothing.
- When you get up, wipe off the skin food, spiash your face with cold water or skin tonic.
- Give your hair a thorough brush from the roots upwards (very soothing this).
- Give your nose a good blow and start making up, with an accent on the eyes, a smear of grease or eyeshadow on the lids, and a little rouge if you are pale now.
- Finally, squeeze the juice of a lemon in a glass of water and drink it slowly to get rid of that sick feeling that sometimes results from a good cry, and there you are, ready to face the whole world again.

Diana Gibson



Savoury Sweetbreads

THESE delicate portions of meat can be made into several excellent dishes. Sweetbreads must be and before cooking they should be soaked for several hours, changing the water occasionally.

This soaking cleanses them from the blood, makes them white, and renders them more delicate. After soaking, parboil for five minutes and immerse in cold water to blanch. Remove any pleces of sinew and gristle; wipe and press between two plates, to give better shape.

To stew sweetbreads, prepare as above, then lay in a saucepan and pour over some white stock, adding a little pepper, salt, and a pinch of powdered mace.

Simmer gently for half an hour, then put in the oven to keep hot. Thicken the gravy with a little flour covered that there is a and butter, let it boll, and when smooth stir in a dish, add a desertspoonful of lemon juice to the gravy and pour over.

Roasted and Fried

To roust cult's sweetbreads, take a pair and prepare as described, then brush over with beaten egg, and roll in seasoned breadcrumbs.

Melt 1 oz of butter in the saucepan and sprinkle this over the coating of crumbs, and roll the sweetbrends in crumbs a second time. Now melt 2 ozs of butter in a baking tin and put the sweetbreads in. roasting in a moderate oven for about half an hour, basting frequently with the butter. Dish. garnished with fried parsley, and serve with white sauce.

To fry lamb's sweetbreads, parboll, drain and press, and brush over with egg. Cover them well with breadcrumbs with a little pepper, salt, and chopped parsley mixed in for seasoning. Fry an appetising brown and serve with good gravy. When there are any cold sweetbrends over, to redress cut them into neat pieces, and stew them gently in some good brown gravy till they are hot quite through. Piace on a dish, pour the gravy over, and garnish with fried sippets. A Tasty Pia

For sweetbread pie two pairs will be required. Prepare as above, then cut the sweethreads into small pieces. Grense a fireproof dish. cover with breadcrumbs, and then add the sweethreads.

Cover with white sauce, season to liking with pepper and salt, sprinkle a little parsley over, finishing with breadcrumbs and dabs of butter, or, if preferred a pastry crust. Bake for from 25 minutes to half an hour.

Sweetbread croquettes are very good. Prepare a pair of sweetbreads, and mince finely. Add half their weight of breadcrumbs, season with pepper, salt, a little nutmeg, and a flavouring of grated lemon

Put into the stewpen with just enough cream to moisten, for ten minutes. Then turn out to cool. Form into small balls, dip in egg Shell and slice the eggs. Meke and breadcrumbs, and fry slowly the white sauce, then add the beaten in melted butter till browned. Drain yolk and 11/2 oz of the grated cheese. and serve.

To stuff sweetbreads, prepare, re- seasoning. moving the skin. Make a forcement Have ready a greased glass firesweethreads on it, then add a little sauce. tape, Thicken the stock, cook till about ten minutes. thoroughly done, and strain over.

THE CHOCOLATE

Family Favourites

Mrs. Bardell

T a mid-morning chocolate party the other day I disdefinite chocolate hour just now amongst fashionable folk which makes cocktails sound quite old-fashioned.

I learned not only how to make chocolate the continental way, but also that the original cocktail was made of chocolate. If they "laced" It with sherry that's nobody's business. I must admit I preferred chocolate made in the English way, with cup chocolate and milk, in preference to Continental style, weighted down with cream. Well whisking is the secret. and it's delicious in 'n minute.

Chocolate Suct Pudding

Well, having got the chocolate idea, and wanting to tell the good news, I thought of all the chocolatey favourites the family like. There's the homely suct, for in-

made this way. Ingredients: 4oz. flour, loz. corn-flour, 3oz. breadcrumbs, 21oz. shredded suct. 20z. cup chocolate, i tenspoonful vanilla essence. 4oz. sugar, 6 tablespoonfuls milk, I small level table-

stance: it has quite a party taste when

spoonful baking powder. Butter a 6ln, basin. Sieve the flour, comiliour and baking powder, with pinch of salt, into a basin. Add the brenderumbs, the abredded suct and the sugar. Put the milk on to warm, with the cup chocolate, and when it dissolves make a well in the centre of the dry ingredients and mix in the milk and chocolate.

If necessary, a little more milk may be added. It is difficult to state exactly how much, as this depends on the staleness of the crumbs and dryness of the flour. Put into a greased

Egg And Cheese Pie

THIS is a good pie for supper:-. 3 hard boiled eggs;

I oz butter: 1 yolk egg;

Pepper, salt, brown breadcrumbs; Just over 1/2 pint milk;

% oz flour; 2 ozs grated cheese;

1 tenspoonful lemon juice; . A little tomato sauce (out of a

and dry on a cloth before the fire, Stir till the cheese is dissolved, but do not boll. Add lemon juice and

tying with tape. Put rushers of egg in it, covering each layer with bacon in a saucepan and lay the a little tomato sauce, then white

stock. Simmer gently for about 40 breadcrumbs and add the rest of the Dance at that Hotel on Tuesday, minutes, then dish up, removing the cheese. Bake in a hot oven for October 25, will not take place owing at 10 h.m.



Chocolate shape, the Sunday supper favourite.

basin, cover with greated paper, and steam the pudding for 14 hours.

Rice is a Treat Then there's rice pudding. Instead

of being a "you must eat it day" everybody wants a second helping when some chocolate is added. Ingredients: 202, rice, I pint milk, loz. sugar, 202. chocolate, or a twopenny bar, 2 egg yolks. Wash and cook the rice in the milk

and when cooked add the sugar and chocolate, stir well, add the beaten eggs and mix thoroughly. Bake for 15 minutes in a moderate oven. Just before serving, sprinkle with grated chocolate.

Tea Party Cake Suitable for the children, and they'll

Ingredients: toz, butter, toz, sugar, toz. flour, 2 cggs, 2oz. Bournville chocolate, 1 desserispoonful of milk. Grease and line a tin. Dissolve the chocolate in a small pan with the milk; when dissolved, remove from the fire and allow to cool. Cream the butter and sugar together until creamy and white, add the eggs one at a time, together with a little of the flour, Add the chocolate and remainder of flour and salt. Mix well and pour into a prepared tin. Bake in a moderate oven for 40 minutes.

Raisin & Nut

Here is a richer cake recipe. Ingredients:, 31b, butter or margarine, 11b, sugar, 12oz, flour, 3 eggs, 40z, chocolate, 1 tablespoonful of milk. 3oz. chopped scedless raisins, 20% chopped nuts, walnuts or almonda, Grease and line a tin. Dissolve the chocolate in the milk in a small sauce-

PENINSULA HOTEL

The Management of the Peninsula to the Royal Signals' Corps Supper Isobei Donce functioning that night.

pan. When dissolved, remove from the fire and allow to cool. Cream the butter or margarine and sugar until very creamy, add the eggs one at a time with a little of the flour. and beat thoroughly. Then add the remaining flour, with the chopped raisins and nuts mixed with the flour.

and pinch of salt. Mix well and pour into the greased and lined tin and bake in a moderate oven for 11 hours.

Walnut Layer Cake

Always popular at a tea party. Ingredients: 11b, flour, 302, butter, 70s. sugar, 2 eggs, 2 gill of milk, 20z. walnuts, 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder, lioz, cocos, a few drops of vanilla essence.

Sleve the flour and baking powder, salt and cocoa, then add the chopped walnuts to the dry ingredients. Cream the butter, then beat in the sugar and add each beaten egg separately. Stir in the dry ingredients alternately with the milk and lastly add

the vanilla essence. Put the mixture into a buttered and floured fin. tin, hollow out the centre and bake for one hour in a moderate

Cool on a wire tray, cut the cake in two layers, spread with chocolate nut cream and lee with chocolate leing.

Nut Cream Filling

For the layer cake above. Ingredients: 60z. sugar, 40z. margarine, or butter, 1 tablespoonful of water, in small tin of condensed milk. loz. Cadbury's plain chocolate, a few drops of vanilla exence, loz. walnuts. Put the sugar, water, milk, butter

edges, spread with chocolate butter and roll up. When cold, sprinkle with sieved icing sugar. Flavouring the Custard

"Mummy, do chocolate boxes have false bottoms?"

and chocolate into a saucepan,

and boll for 5 minutes, stirring all

'the time.' Cook slowly, adding the

Ingredients: 4oz. leing sugar, 2oz.

cup chocolate, about 3 tablespoonfuls

Put the chocolate in a basin, add a very little warm water—just sufficient

to damp it-then warm it by standing

Add the sleved sugar and 'enough water to make the leing of a con-

sistency that it will coat the back of a

spoon. Beat thoroughly, warm very

To serve at tea or as a cold supper

Ingredients: 4oz. flour, 5oz. sugar, 3

eggs, luz cocon or grated chocolate, }

tenspoonful of baking powder, a few-

Line a Swiss roll tin with wellgreased butter paper. Bleve the flour

and baking powder together, add the

grated chocolate. Whisk the eggs and

sugar until they are pale in colour and

Fold in the flour a little at a time,

add the vanilla essence and mix thor-

oughly Pour the mixture into the pre-

pared tin, and bake in a moderate oven

Turn out on sugared paper, trim the

MIDGE &

the basin in a pan of hot water.

slightly and use immediately,

essence and nuts.

Chocolate Icing

warm water.

Sponge Roll

drops of vanilla essence.

for 8 to 10 minutes.

Use this to ice the cakes.

Can be served as a sweet, with aponge fingers.

Ingredients: 1 pint custard, a twopenny bar of plain chocolate. Make the custard with custard powder, and when thickened add the broken up chocolate, stir until dissolved and well mixed. Add a few drops of vanilla essence and serve elther hot or cold,

SCHEDULE ALTERED

Kobe at 6 p.m. the same day.

BROKER WEDS

Messageries Maritimes announce. The wedding took place at the Rethat the liner Felix Roussel, which gistry on Saturday morning, before was scheduled to arrive in Hongkong Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, between more bacon, season, and cover with Sprinkle this liberally with brown Hotel advises that the usual Dinner from Marseilles on Wednesday, Octo- Joseph Jacob Edgar, broker, and ber 26, will now arrive a day earlier, Lilian Charlton (nee Murray), residing at the Hongkong Hotel. The She will leave for Shanghai and witnesses were Mesars, A. J. Edgar

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In the Raw

A "nature in the raw" drama

in the North Sea, which was

watched by the crew of the

Grimsby trawler Ravenna, was

described by them recently on

Tunny fish were the hunters:

Skipper George Smith said:

"A shoal of herring suddenly

rose to the surface, harried by

the tunny. The herring came

close to the ship for shelter.

but when we hauled our nets

the shoal moved away and a

Nearly 100 tunny flashed

among them. Herring that were flicked into the air by the

talls of the tunny were mapped

up by gulls. The tunny and

the gulls between them must

have consumed thousands of

terrible slaughter began.

their return to port.

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THE TWINS WHO HAVE FORMED FOUR' Nature

Even Husbands Didn't Part Them

They've said for years that one man and his wife under one roof may equal bliss, but that just one more woman in the same house may mean . . . "well, you know what women are"!

Now two 24-years-old London girls—they are twins -have knocked this theory endways by living the "perfect married life" together in the same house with their respective husbands.

They are Annie and Eileen O'Brien, inseparable twins, now Mrs. Will Johnson and Mrs. Ronald Clarke, of Nightingale-lane,

Bromley. "You're crazy"-Annie and Eileen got the same answer when friends; were told of their dual honeymoon plans. "Crackers," said the friends

of the two grooms. So you can tell what friends said) when they calmly announced that they proposed to share the same

SAME HOUSE, SAME TEAPOT SAME HOUSE, SAME TEAPOT

Elleen and Annie and the two

Elleen and Annie and went ongrooms just smiled and went ontheir way. They hired the same

honeymoon car. will not work."

grooms still smiled. They divided to the staff mess-room. front. Annie had the back.

"But what of the kitchen? Ha! arrived there.

Hal" cried the cynics. They share the same teapot a frustrated alligator's wrath. nt brenkfast-but when it comes to cooking they go their own ways. tired the other takes the list.

SHARE RENT-AND RADIO to get the day's supplies," they told proper word) into a box and carried me. "A large cabbage does for the protesting back to his tank. four of us, but the halves go into

different pots." Annie's husband comes home at midday for a meal; Eileen's in the evening. To oblige, one of-

ten cooks for the other. They don't divide that.

"but what of the radio? That can fighting alligators."

start trouble. There is one set between the four. Aquarium are to be strengthened. Eileen has it in her downstairs room, but there's a loud-speaker connection to Will and Annie's room.

"We have the same tastes, and it's working out well," they said. "There is no question of it getting on our nerves."

Annie has a guest just now-an uncle from Co. Cork. She puts him up in her spare room, but next time it will be Eileen's turn.

-AND DRESS ALIKE What else to silence the cynics? assist, dandles to eatch their lovers' Well, they go to dances together, eyes?

It's been going on for two months but they don't want to change, "Couldn't be happier," they both and even in North East London? told a reporter recently. "Young wives often feel lonely. We are never

lonely. So what, you cynics? "You must be heavenly twins," they say.

Pilot Exonerated

Returning a verdict of Accidental Death, the jury at a Gosport inquest recently exonerated the pilot of an R.A.F. senplane which collided with a boat at Lee-on-Solent on Thursday, remained stationary everything and fatally injured two fishermen. The victims were Thomas Bannis-

Henry Kemp, aged 48.

GAS PAINS,

Colic and many other children's all-

ments are frequently a case of too

much acid in the stomach. Relieve

the pain, neutralize the acids, restore

normal health by giving them

Alligator

Archie, the alligator, 10-years-"But just wait till you get back to old, 6ft, long, and ugly, escaped normal, the cynical critics said from his tank in Brighton Two newly wed women—and sisters Aquarium. In search of a change at that—in the same house? No, it Elicen and Annie and the two yards through winding passages

the house into two. Eileen had the Even 80-year-old Frederick They preferred it that way, Eileen Brown, who has been at the liked the light; Annie liked the Aquarium for over 60 years, was mildly surprised when he

There was Archie, banging his tail "It's easy," said Elleen and Annie. in rage on the stone floor and makBoth have their own sets of crocing the hissing sound which indicates

Mr. Brown quietly closed the door and awaited the arrival of other They shop together. If one feels members of the staff. Meanwhile, Archie's temper deteriorated. There was an hour's battle before he was "We go each morning to market persuaded (which is scarcely the

NO OBJECTIONS Mr. Brown held out a broken

could box him," he said. Each couple pays half the rent. "I don't really object to this sort Cross, an east-bound Circle train Each couple pays half the rent.

of thing, but I am perhaps getting collided with the back of an Ealinga little old for alligator hunts. Years the common meeting-ground. a little old for alligator hunts. Years ago I entered a tank here and, armed a signal in the tunnel midway be-"So far, so good," say the cunics, only with an Iron bar, separated two tween Charing Cross and Temple

Anti-alligator defences at the

Know?

That a judge's wig was not intended as an aid to dignity, but to

and to football matches and the pic- That some nurses believe that, tures. And Eileen und Annie love when a baby is born, the father

to look alike in the same sort of often suffers exactly the same discomfort as the nife? That tea made from now. It started as an experiment, raspberry leaves is widely used to cure lils in the Eastern Counties-

> That people still believe that midwives transport diemselves broomsticks? That boys under 14 are bored by

"base" films; but that girls of 12 or 13 might be seriously affected? That an ape's skull has been found

in South Africa characteristics of the apa with human | controls after he had finished his milk teeth," but is still not the night's work this should undoubtedly missing link?

to the British Association.

would have been all right.

The South Hampshire deputy corter, aged 75, of Adelaide-grove, oner, Mr. Gerald Warner, said: select a spot for landing considerably Pilot Sergeant Clifford Bond said farther away. Then, if anything to one side of it. If the boat had chance to after your direction,"

Do You Think She Is Pretty ?

This is Miss Vera Haal, and Americans think sho !! most beautiful girl in the United States. She has won many beauty contests. She was elected "Miss 1937, since been "Miss and now she " M 1 8'81 America." She started her career as al model, now she is the leader of a team of eight



BROKEN RULE CAUSED

London.

Says Traffic Report Failed

Immediate compliance with a rule of the London Passenger Transport Board would have prevented. the Charing Cross Underground railway smash on May 17, when six people were killed and 45 injured.

This is stated in the official report, issued recently, of Lieut.-Col. E. Woodhouse, the Ministry of Transport inspector who conducted an inquiry into the cause of the accident.

The rule quoted in the report says that when a signal fails the signalman or stationmaster at the station in the rear must be informed and must stop all trains proceeding towards the signal and advise drivers accordingly.

The primary cause of the accident was a "false-clear" signal indication being given, due to a "He broke two of them, snapping wrong connection made during

the handles clean through before we the previous night. Shortly after leaving Charing

stations. INSPECTOR BLAMED

Station Inspector Barnes was at clute the dangerous possibilities of the situation."

the accident, but that when con- of our national life. fronted with an unexpected situation he did not rise to the occasion in the manner to be expected of a man in his position," states Col. consider that he must bear some share of the responsibility for the

accident." Inspector Barnes, the report adds, is 45 and has 28 years' service, during the past 11 of which he has been a station inspector; he has an excellent record.

MOTORMAN CLEARED Whatever the true explanation for

the mistake in wiring the signal, "responsibility must be borne by Signal Installer E. Eelea." But, it is added, inasmuch as Eeles

"combining was not competent to test the signal have been done by Chief Linesman These remarkable facts were told A. G. Beer, who must "consequently bear a large share of the responsibility."

The failure of Motorman McLean, driver of the second train, to apply the brake, was due to a momentary of confusion of the tall light of sibility for the accident.

feature of the accident," says Col. securing such diets. Woodhouse, "was the failure on the part of the traffic staff to take KNOWLEDGE LACKING was ample opportunity.

must be shared with Chief Linesman from lack of means to buy proper Beer by Station Foreman Foskew. "I am of opinion that negligence of which the latter was guilty more serious than that displayed by urges a method of marking the back Beer, for on none of three occasions of a train which is sufficiently dison which a dangerous failure was tinctive to be immediately recognisreported to him did he take the able as such. The board should be trouble to follow up the matter per- requested to report their final prosonally and assure himself that remedial measures were being

taken." Porter Hopkins, who was told by Foskew to telephone Charling Cross and who substituted the meaningless information that a signal was "working sluggishly," is looked upon "as deserving some blame for his care-

TAIL LIGHTS CRITICISED

"PEP DRUG" POISON LISTS

effective results.

WRONG FOOD

fall below the British Medical Association standards of

· This startling conclusion comes not from the rash reasoning

the signal defect he "did not appre- fad, but from a survey made on the income is adequate, but educa-"I have come to the conclusion dietetic habits of all classes of that Station Inspector F. H. Barnes our population by a husiness had an opportunity of preventing man in touch with every section

Sir William Crawford, K.B.E. whose book The People's Food that educational campaigns spon-(Heinemann 12s. 6d.) was published sored by the producers of valuable Woodhouse. "For this reason I recently, set afoot in the winter foodstuffs could have a beneficial months of 1936-37 a survey of 5,000 effect not only on the producing in-

dustries but on the national health, It covered homes where the income and that'the pivot on which physical ranged from over £1,000 a year to fitness depends is nearer the home £2 a week or less, and ranged from kitchen than anything else. London to Glasgow, and Newcastle to Cardiff.

HOME COOKING WHAT DID YOU SPEND? His investigators made door to sees one of the greatest defences of

door calls and got the housewives' democracy and a barrier against the increasing regimentation of the inanswers to such questions as What time did you have break- | dividual.

What did your family drink for are that breakfast? How much did you spend last

week on milk, bread, sardines, bacon, meat, fruit, fish? Does your husband have his midday meal at home, in a

The motive for, this arduous research was that although from Board of Trade figures the total quantities ter, aged to, or Ademide-grove, think it would have been wiser to train in front of him with a signal of foodstuffs consumed are easily distwo lights, a moment's hesitation was animals and selected groups of Pilot Sergeant Clifford Bond said In ther away. Then, it anything not unnatural. On those grounds humans have proved exactly what the British public, though deleast the boat and decided to land goes wrong, you have a much better he saw the boat and decided to land goes wrong, you have a much better McLean is relieved from any responditely the best health results, finitely carnivorous, is shown by the there is no way of finding exactly survey to rank fourth only among

preventive action, for which there It has long been known that though some 8,000,000 of the popu-"Responsibility for the accident lation are inadequately nourished food, there are other strata in which HOLLYWOOD

posals without undue delay.

Sir William Crawford points out

In the revival of home cooking, he

Interesting points from the survey

Peak hour for breakfast is 8

a.m., and the amount of bacon

consumed at it is a direct measure

"Elevenses" are increasing in

At least 50 per cent, of husbands

Coffee still lags behind tea as

Beer drinking in the home ap-

pears to have been curtailed by

the improved facilities offered in

The British public, though de-

"TRASH"

When I began work in the theatre,

companies from London, which be-

came staler and staler and cheaper

and cheaper, until the cinema, with

its magnificently costly productions,

"Then the trush with which Holly-

wood deluged us forced the dramatic-

fingers at Hollywood and London.

struck them dead.

take their midday meal at home.

the national beverage; and

clubs and public-houses.

among milk consumers.

of social standing.

popularity.

With nearly £1,305,000—one-third the national income -spent in Great Britain on food, nearly half the population adequate nutrition in some respect or other.

contenus that after being warned of of an extremist politician or an economist ventilating his special

a hitherto unknown scale of the tion as to what are the best ways to expend the food budget is deficient. The result of the survey suggests that between 12,000,000 and 22,000,-000 people have the means to secure better health, but lack the know-

fast yesterday?

restaurant, or take it with him packed?

"Perhaps the most regrettable what classes of the population are the world's meat eaters, and sixth

the old provincial stock companies It was desirable that all transsupporting strolling stars had perish-

verse gians should be of the safety ed and were replaced by fouring variety, and he was glad to report that the board had decided to substitute safety giass, by degrees for the plate-gians now used. Col. Woodhouse concludes with n

reference to the improved type of rolling stock now being brought into use by the board, including steel ally starved provinces to revive the Col. Woodhouse criticises the weak- bodywork, safety glass, and inde- theatre for themselves and snap their and pendent lighting,

on the poison list "pep drug"

The Home Office has placed benzedrine, which has been used by some undergraduates before their examinations with very

Benzedrine, which was recently discovered, speeds up the brain and gives confidence but is harmful if taken indiscriminate-

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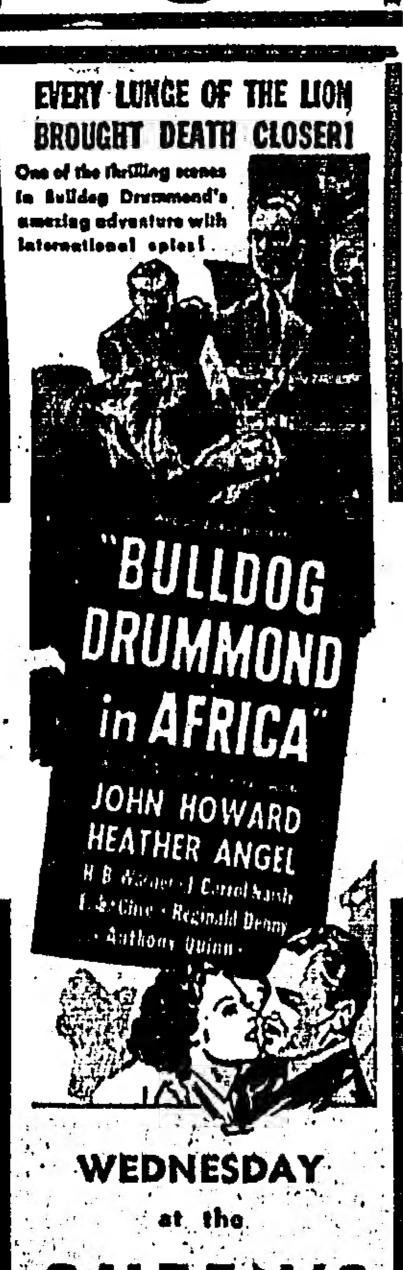
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RIDDLE OF CANTON FINAL HOURS

Communications with Canton became reduced to wireless connection and the congestion of traffic was so heavy that much news did not get through.

Below, correspondents tell in delayed messages of what they saw on Friday and Saturday.

two free-lance cameramen, Messrs. A. savagely. Tyler Hull, of Buckrow Bench, Vir-ninin, and Roy G. Scott, of St. Louis, Mo., I found myself leading the mustered out of the original 500. Tyler Hull, of Buckrow Bench, Vir-Chinese advance, which just missed The Japanese mechanised thrusts encountering a flying column of may break through, but their infantry Japanese tanks thirty miles from will have the hardest time follow-Canton along the Canton-Tsengshing ing. Our men's morale is high. We highway, says a United Press corres-

Proceeding towards the front, found large scale Chinese troop movements in both directions executed with parade-ground precision. I also found the hill enclosed roads leading out of Canton only very slightly damaged, but saw no wounded.

Thirty miles east of Canton, I encountered in column of Chinese Vickers whippet tanks accompanied much alive but slightly embarassed

their unit. Later, both the hearse and ourselves overtook the unit, and suddenraiding party of Japanese tanks had covering the bridge to reduce the him to cross the river to Honam appeared a mile ahead, and machine-gunned some buses which overtook us half-an-hour before. The hearse turned a dignissed tail

and we followed. units and heavy artillery later in the night suggested a retirement before cigners a trial of strength, probably due to the successful Japanese flanking During our tour, we found Chinese being the O.S.K. Japanese ware- slated to hold the chief military post troops who had obviously not been damaged in the slightest.

Our party's guide on the tour was a pint-sized girl-soldier named Mabel Yang, formerly a desk gasoline, and the Water plant has clerk at the popular New Asia Hotel. who won the hearts of the gruffest front-line officers and secured for us In welcome everywhere.

Chinese Unit Decimated

Japanese aeroplanes and tanks in the had passed the Canton Hospital on men against machines, which began few minutes ago.

at 5 a.m. young California born battallon com- standing and seems fairly safe. you met Japanese tanks I didn't the Japanese have tried for weeks neck of the Canton-Walchow Road. you left I received an order to operate | Chinese blowing them up.

Canton, Oct. 21. | run. They propped up our anti-tank In the course of a bizarre twelve- guns with the aid of impromptu hour night taxi tour of the front with bamboo tripods and fought back

> have only one wish-to get at something we can fight."-United Press.

Shameen Defence

Canton, Oct. 21. this morning I went by bont to Japanese tanks came down Tai Ping Lingnan. It was filled with refugees none, and turned eastward along the but still they did not show any sign Bund. of a punic.

ENTIRE furniture of 7-roomed house, by a motor cycle and a gorgeous explosions were heard cast of the were sixteen tanks. Another eyefor sale, in good condition, including hearse with baby blue and gilt fittings city, which was followed by fires, witness said he counted eighteen. refrigerator, lawn-mower and kitchen and glass-panels. This was serving the sounds like shots providing the At present the streets are quiet. and glass-panels. This was serving blowing up of munition dumps.

There same to be a staff car, in which were very blowing up of munition dumps. officers, who proposed we followed ing of defences, including steel- example, one man stopped me and plates guarding the bridges. The asked me whether I was afraid. I French are digging trenches on the asked him why he had not gone, and

> evacuate left this morning for Shekki he would probably die anyway. on board the American Consulate Planes continue to circle the city. launch with a naval guard. The dropping enticing leaslets. Movements of Chinese mechanized group included about fifteen Ameri- | Chinese reports say that a certain cans as well as fifteen other for- General is responsible for this big-

> > the Chinese is continuing, the Intest carry out a mock defence, and houses, the Brewery, the Paper Fac- in the puppet government. tory, and the Cotton Mill, while it is also learned that the Power-house generators have been set aftre with pedestrians about, though many are world's history. seen sitting patiently by the street-

The Tanks Appear

Despite the dynamiting it had re- remains a riddle.

Independently, signifying a Japanese A few minutes ago, Japanese planes officers and men in the streets. Japanese determined to destroy us.

"Six tanks came down the road. areas, and how they had always helpWe smashed three with our four antitank guns, which killed seven of the and the helpless. It denounced

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help protect the Lingman University and Hackett Hospital. It is also sending a warning to Pak Hok Tung residents to move to Shameen. Blind girls from Pak Hok Tung will shortly be brought by bont near to

All Streets Dead

A United Press correspondent who toured the city at 4 p.m. saw tank tracks on the Bund. He also saw the American flog at the Y.M.C.A. gate with two bullet holes through it. Mr. Wallace Forgie, a native Toronto, who is in charge of Y.M.C.A. said, "I saw twenty tanks pass with Japanese flags."

Planes are flying low overhead Chinese soldiers with arms and Chinese staff cars still scattered through the city seem unworried. The streets appear to be dead, though dn occasional straggler is seen.

Those evacuating are also calm. En route to the Canton Hospital, says a United Press correspondent, 1 saw a man with a wounded leg who asked where the hospital was. directed him towards the Hackett Memorial Hospital, since the Canton Hospital had closed.

Asked how he had been wounded, Canton is dying to-day. Early the man said a large number of

The gateman at the Canton Hospital Just after reaching Lingnan, several confirmed the story and said there

Shameen has completed the erect- believe themselves trapped. For eastern tip of the Island, while the he replied that he had been unable British are removing the matshed to find a boat or a ricksha. I told The last group of foreigners to tically replied it was no use since

gest debacle in Chinese military history. It is said that he was paid The blowing up of buildings by 2,000,000 yuan by the Japanese to

Complete Evacuation

During the past few days, Canton also been blown up. The evacuation has witnessed probably the most comhas since slowed up. There are few plete evacuation of any city in the

Twenty Japanese tanks later passed through the deserted city's main business street and disappeared, leaving no trace of their passing except At 3.10 p.m. Dr. Cadbury and Dr. bullet spattered walls, and the rid-The unit which we left at 4 a.m. Thomson telephoned the United died bodies of four civilians, one a was waylaid and decimated by States Consulate that Japanese tanks young and pretty girl, one a soldier. Squadrons of Japanese planes circourse of a desperate six-hour battle, the Bund near the Oi Kwan Hotel a cled low over the city throughout the day. At the end of the day, Canton

This morning I met a haggard ceived, the Pearl River bridge is still Japanese planes and tanks dominate the roads into the city but are remander who said: "When you said It is notable that all the things maining on both sides of the bottlequite believe it, because I was order- to destroy, including the Power and While troops went forward, I saw ed to take up guard duty at a second Water plants, and the Cement, Cotton heavy equipment ... cent back and line place where you had been. We and Paper mills, were destroyed a evacuated promptly and efficiently. tanks, I saw small groups of Chinese

break-through. An hour afterwards circling low over the city dropped The Canton-Hankow Railway sent beyonets. They were joined by an-Japanese planes spotted us. After leaslets, one of which fell on the out a train to-night, while its ad- other company coming in by other some men were killed their infuriated U.S.S. Mindango, saying how friend- ministration buildings were ablaze roads on trucks they had comcomrades opened fire. Then the ly the Japanese troops had always and ignited the shops next door .-- mandeered preparatory to entering

Awaiting the Japanese

Canton, Oct. 22. crews. Fifty Japaneso planes in Chiang Kai-shek bitterly.

Groups began ceaselessly to harry us The U.S.S. Mindanao is this aftering. Thousands were patiently and across country. Our men refused to noon sending details of sailors to apathetically waiting for the Japanese,

In France

. PARIS, Oct. 23. An important diplomatic reshuffle is announced as a result

of the transfer of M. Francois Poncet from Berlin to Rome. M. Erik Labonne, at present Ambasaador to Barcelona, has been appointed Resident-General at Tunis. He will be succeeded by M. Jules

Bonnet. M. Paul Naggiar, Ambassador to China, is being transferred to Moscow, where he takes the place of M Coulondre, who has been appointed Ambassador to Berlin.

Henry, chief private secretary to M.

It is understood that M. George Bonnet also recommended the appointment of M. Massigli, Director of Omee. Political Affairs at the Qual d'Orsay, to be Ambassador to Turkey. In some quarters these changes are

regarded as a sign of France's new attitude towards the totalitarian States since the Munich agreement. -Reuter.

who, however, seem yet to be some Sporadic machine-gun fire was

heard from White Cloud Mountain, north-east of the city, indicating that the Japanese were still some miles from the city.

A tour of the city found Wongsha Station deserted with some rolling stock, tanks and anti-aircraft equipment destroyed by last night's fire. The caretaker there said that the train scheduled to leave last night did not go until this morning.

Fire raged in the city centre where the Military Headquarters had been blown up, and for a time threatened the Y.M.C.A. It has now died out. Occasional Japanese planes circle the city dropping leaflets addressed to General Wu Teh-chen, General Yu Han-mou, and Mayor Tsong Yang-fu, very politely announcing the Japanese are surrounding the city, and requesting their surrender, other-

wise the Japanese would unfortunately be forced to destroy the place. Only a few soldiers are seen in the streets, these stragglers changing their clothes when able. They are all

A United Press correspondent and an American cameraman, Rey G. Scott, from St. Louis, Mo., made a tour of the city at 1,20 p.m. to-day. Going up Tai Ping Lo, a Japanese plane circled a few hundred feet overhead, but flew away, evidently seeing the American flag.

At the corner of Wing Hon Lo and Wai Oi Lo. Japanese soldiers were seen walking, carrying bunches of bananas. They appeared to be nervous. Further away, three Japanese soldiers were seen riding bleycles. ""A mile later at Tungshan, we were stopped at the intersection where machine-gunned Chinese trucks with Chinese soldiers had been stopped. never got to our position. Just after few hours ago this morning by the Despite the passage of the Japanese A company of Japanese soldiers were seen crossing the hill ahead. We waved our flag as they pointed their

> "A colonel, sald to be a commander of an entering regiment numbering over 1,000, said they spent last night in Shaho, five miles east, and asked if many Chinese civilians were seen. They were apparently disappointed to find very few.

"Several Chinese civilians accompanying apparently unarmed soldiers had been looting for food, enrrying bunches of pananas, some chickens and lending cows.

"The Japanese soldiers were tired but cheerful, and some of the old soldlers borrowed eigarettes from us. "An interpreter who spoke French said that General Matsul was not commanding the troops, was not in South China, and was not coming. but said there were thousands of Japanese troops a couple of miles behind the column. He said the Japanese would receive the Press to discuss the campaign two or three

days hence." A message at 4.10 p.m. states that a motor car carrying high Japanese officers stopped at the British bridge. An English interpreter formerly employed by the Mitsul Busan Kaisha on Shameen stepped out and yelled across the creek, "Do you remember

He was followed by a Japanese officer, Captain Sayeda, who asked if the British Ambassador was in Shameen. The Commissioner of Police, Mr. Ferguson, replied that he was not, after calling for the British Consul-General, Mr. A. P. Blunt. After asking whether there had been any incidents, the Japanese expressed their pleasure at the negative reply, and said their Commander-in-Chief would be arriving in a couple of days and would call. They then departed. Shameen Closed

Canton, Oct. 23.

"Hullo! Do You remember me?" yelled Captain Saida, a Japanese officer, waving his hand as he alighted from a motor-car which he drove up to the British Bridge at Shameen at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. This greeting was addressed in English to foreigners on the Shameen side of the barricades who were amazed to recognise a former employee of the Canton office of the Mutsul Bussan Kalsha.
Interviewed by Reuter, Captain

Salda sald that the Japanese forces completely controlled the city. He added that the supreme command would formally enter within two or three days.

The Reuter correspondent is the first civilian to greet the other Japanese officers in charge of the advance guards after preliminary greetings exchanged with Captain John Ferguson, British Police Superintendent.

The British authorities at present are not allowing anybody to leave or citer Shameen.—Reuter.

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. INWARD MAILS

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The Christmas Parcel Mail Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office at Noon on Friday, the 11th November per S.S. "Ranpura" and is due to arrive at

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THE CZECHS' HISTORIC FIRE SWEEPS CANTON HOMELAND

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chose as their King Frederick, the Protestant Elector Palatine of the Rhine. This monarch was the son-in-law of our own King James I. and VI. and lived to become the father of Prince Rupert of the Civil War, the grandfather of King George I., and hence the ancestor of all our subsequent monarchs. Frederick appears to have accepted the throne with the good will of James's people, but no help from hopelessly handlcapped by "Winter King," he reigned only one year-from 1619 to 1620. A Roman Catholic League, includ-Bavaria, formed against him, and on Nov. 8, 1620, Bohemian indepence was lost at the battle breaks. of the White Mountain, a few miles from Prague.

The so-called Counter-reformation began, and Bohemia, which contained 3,000,000 people at the beginning of the Thirty Years' War, mostly Protestants, emerged at the end with 880,000, all nominally Roman Catholics. Nobles and burghers emigrated; peasants were kept to the soil and crushed after repeated risings. The Sudeten German Protestants had suffered together with the Czechs. But now there was a fresh influx of German Roman Catholics.

Among the Czech refugees who escaped to England was Komensky (or Comenius), the to end. educationist, who first produced an illustrated book for children, and Wenceslas Hollar, whose etchings show London before the Great Fire. Bohemia had been culturally one of the most advanced countries of Europe. Jesuits and soldiers now exterminated all Hussite literature; one priest boasted of having himself burnt 60,000 Bohemian volumes.

WITHIN THE EMPIRE

After the French Revolution it was possible again to be a Protestant. Literary, and historical societies began to organise a nationalist movement still forbidden to take political forms. visited the city. When freer speech was allowed, | the demand was not for separation from the Austrian Empire, but for a restoration of the rights enjoyed before 1620. Hungary was successful in 1867 in obtaining her own national rights in that Empire; to have done the same for Bohemia would have meant placing the Sudeten Germans in a minority -a policy favoured by certain of the advisers of the Emperor Francis Joseph but never accomplished till after the war, when the Czechs of Bohemia were reunited at last with their Slovak kinsmen.

NO MAJOR CHANGES IN CABINET

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Sir John Anderson has been men-

which a great deal could be done, points. such as the compilation of a National Register, and, despite criticisms, much already has been accomplished, and the armament programme is steadily rising in itie yesterday.

Captain Euan Wallace is mentioned as a likely candidate for one of

the vacancies in the Cabinet. Captain David Margesson has been regarded by many in high quarters as an ideal First Lord of the Admiralty, but there is reason to believe that he may not wish to leave his present post as chief Government

PREMIER'S RETURN

of political activity.

new appointments to the Cabinet, in order to give them en evening there is a growing feeling in political | meal.-Reuter. circles that the Duke of Devonshire, at present Under-Secretary of State for the Dominions, may become the new Dominions Secretary. It is also thought that Captain Margesson may be persuaded to overcome his reluctance to relinquish his position as chief Whip, and to accept the office of First Lord of the Admiralty, re-

cently vacated by Mr. Duff Cooper. The question of whether the Mr. Soong replied. Anglo-Italian pact can now be ratified is expected to be discussed by the British Cabinet on Wednesday, when, if the Ministers feel the time is in Rengicong are discounted by is now ripe, a date will be fixed with Italy on which the pact will become is definitely in Changking.

Prior to that date Parliament will an important conference is being held be given an opportunity to discuss in the Chinese capital. In addition the matter in accordance with the to Mr. Wang Ching-wel, it is attended Prime Minister's pledge to the House by Generalissime Ching Kal-shek of Commons-Reuter.

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China Hotel and the 14-storey Oi

Kwan Hotel, which is Canton's biggest skyscraper. The French Donmer hospital caught after half-an-hour after the patients were evacuated to the Hackett Memorial Hospital. Y.M.C.A. DYNAMITED The Y.M.C.A. was evacuated order to allow a Japanese dynamite squad to blow up the building in an effort to create a fire break.

Foreign residents aided Japanese in an attempt to isolate the blazes, but without success. The amateur fire-fighters were James himself. Known as the absence of water, the dynamiting of

the city's reservoirs by the Chinese before they evacuated on Friday, completely disrupting water supplies. Dynamite was the only weapon the ing Spain, Italy, Poland and Japanese could use, and throughout the day loud explosions testified to the fact that it was being detonated freely in attempts to create fire-

> flames, after destroying Wongsha, travelled towards the Salchuen area, vomiting up the dregs of civilian refugees from the city's slum

Owing to fears that they would be incinerated the authorities were forced to release all immates of the Stampa. leper settlement and insane asylum, as well as prisoners from the civic

WATERFRONT BLAZE

Across the Pearl River at Honam, the British wharves and foreign oil installations appear to have been completely gutted. The fires were still flercely

raging this morning at Honam and in the western parts of Canton proper, but Shameen is now considered safe. Canton's famous sille street,

containing rich textiles and silks of fabulous value, was swept from end A computation of the damage wrought by the flames places it at

well over £50,000,000. What the Japanese attempted to do in twelve months' savage bombings was accomplished by the Chinese in two days.

LOOTERS ACTIVE

Canton, Oct. 24. Japanese patrols yesterday evening stood on guard outside the shops on the Shakee front where looters were creating havoc. Three or four persistent looters who opposed the Japanese soldiers' orders were bayonetted and they are now lying ately returned.

The behaviour of the troops hitherto has been exemplary, according to the accounts of foreigners who

Looting has been checked wherever possible, but owing to the small number of Japanese in the city, totalling approximately 1,500, the

entire city is not patrolled. Japanese headquarters have been established in the old Chinese headquarters building.-Reuter.

STILL A RAGING INFERNO

Canton, Oct. 24. At nightfull yesterday the city was still a raging inferno, with a mammoth fire east of the Bund area being fanned towards the city, and developing into a tremendous area, measuring between five and six square miles.

The conflagration on the Shakee waterfront has died down as a result of a change in the direction of the wind, and the magnificent efforts of the Shameen Volunteers, who tolled ceasely all day yesterday. Greatest tribute must be paid to

the organisers of the fire fighters, who are a group of German residents. Unless there is a fresh outbreak in the area between the British bridge and Wongsha, the prospect of Sha-meen being involved is very slight. Nevertheless the authorities are not Sir John Anderson has been men-tioned in this connection.

It is pointed out that Government machinery already exists through buildings and from other vantage

> Old residents who went through previous Communist up-rising and civil wars state that never before in their experience was there a day

Two terrific explosions occurred in the city yesterday which shook Shameen, and blew in the window frames of the Royal Dutch Consulate, even uprooting the floor boards. The steel winder, frames of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank were also blown to amithercens, debris flying in the road-way after the concussion, while the Swiss Consul and his family have had to leave their home.

Following yesterday morning's explosion, the keepers at the lunatic Mr. Neville Chamberlain's return asylum at Paakhoktung, across the from Chequers to-morrow morning Pearl River from Shameen, fled marks the beginning of another week leaving 800 mental inmates uncared

Although great reticence is ob- British navalmen come to the served in official circles regarding rescue and supplied 80 bags of rice

CHINESE LEADERS SAID

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"I have nothing further to say,"

COLONY'S FUTURE AFTER THE FALL OF CANTON

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flowing with refugees, now finds itself cut off from all communications with the interior of China.

The Sunday Times goes on to observe that even more important than the question of the future of Hongkong, is that of the future of British trade with China in general for even if there is no military attack on the British colony by the Japanese, it is to be feared that severe damage commercial interests.

In this connection the paper recalls British trade in the Far East.

MacDonald's Government with hav- British India. ing interrupted construction of the naval base in Singapore in 1929, with the result that Japan had been enabled to out-distance the British fleet .-- Trans-Ocean.

ITALIAN COMMENT

Rome, Oct. 23. considerable comment in the Italian cause they were encouraged to hope press, notably the Voce d'Italia and for support that could not be given.

NEW JUSTICE OF APPEAL

London, Oct. 22. Sir Herbert du Parcq, a Justice of the King's Beach, has been appointed Lord Justice of Appeal, in place of Sir Frederick Greer, who has resigned.

Mr. Wingtringham Stable, K.C., has been appointed a Justice to the King's Bench.-Reuter.

The former describes it as a decksive, perhaps a mortal blow to the Chinese defence, and declares that it would not be surprised to hear reports of fresh attempts at mediations on the part of the British and French must be reckoned with for British governments. The paper adds that there are circles in London where economic catastrophe for Hongkong that influential circles in Japan have is feared, and dwells also on the not concealed their desire to destroy political reaction , which the active Japanese policy in South China may The paper repreaches Mr. Ramsay have on French Indo-China and

The Stamps declares that the occupation of Canton, and the certain early conquest of Hankow, places the word finis to the Sino-Japanese war. The paper says that Chiang Kal-shek goes to swell the group of Tafari, Benes and their comrades, and blames the British policy under Mr. Stanley The occupation of Canton evokes Baldwin for the Chinese collapse be-

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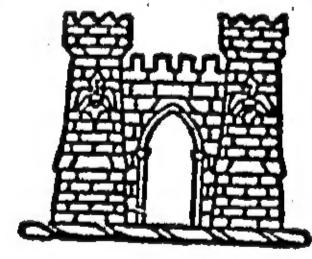
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with such ridiculous case, and ninetcen centuries.

many weeks. In the meantime, people should take to heart. new and equally deadly form of ance—the Treason which is de- vance was much more rapid | fined by the Oxford Dictionary of the country. It is this type the worse disservice China's of Treason, for which the in- leaders can do their people is to Treason which has allowed puppet regimes to come into being So confident were the vast in Pciping and Nanking. It is majority of Chinese people that transferring allegiance from, the city was not even a remote possibility, that when disaster came on Friday the effect was ernment. The vilest Treason of catastrophic. Had vernacular Government to the leaders of the so-called governments who are manifestly puppets dangling at the ends of strings pulled by equally dangerous form of Trea-China.
son, is any attempt to disredit We would be lacking in

son or newspaper which seeks to discredit Generalissimo ing disasters until they have occurred.

THE CZECHS' HISTORIC HOMELAND

Countrymen of "Good, King Wenceslas"

Bohemia's Centuries-Old Sudeten Minority

By H. D. ZIMAN

OR many British spectators of the still-L unfinished tragic dralma which has been taking place in Central Europe, the issue has been shrouded not merely by propraganda, and by personal sympathies and hopes, but by a normal and natural public ignorance concerning a country of which the present name did not appear on pre-war maps or occur in pre-war history

that it would be more generally sailles. understood that the claims of Peace Conference of 1919.

have heard of the blind King John of Bohemia, who fell at

been used in the greatest be- of the greatest Army the world Slav influx.

as falseness to the government and we continue to believe, that completely hush Chinese revaders of China have prayed verses. The danger of this for sixteen months. It is the policy became apparent immethe Treason wherein a section the Japanese were still some of the people betrays their coun- scores of miles from Canton, and try in its hour of need by ex- were encountering opposition of pressing dissatisfaction with, or such a nature that the fall of this type insofar as China is and other European newspapers concerned is the transference published a true state of affairs, of allegiance from the National as did the Telegraph, we are the invaders. A milder, but so injurious to the cause of

the existing Government of China.

We would like to issue this people, were we to refrain from warning to the Chinese people: publishing accurate and imme-An utterance by any responsible diate reports of events in China. or semi-responsible Chinese per- merely on the grounds that it is

form the crest of a Prince of but newcomers. Wales. Even more have heard and sung) of "Good Wenceslas." But few realised that these two figures were rulers of the people now known as Czechs.

AFTER VERSAILLES

An almost equal vagueness in position of the Sudeten mans. It is possible still books written in our own meet persons creditably wellinformed on foreign affairs who friends presented their country ing citizens whom the Fuehrer to the outside world under its wishes to "return to the Reich 1918. old familiar name 'of Bohemia were pre-war citizens of Ger-(much as the people who call many lost (like the Alsatians themselves the Hellenes are and Lorrainers and the inknown to the outside world as habitants of the Polish Corridor) Greeks) it is at least possible in the great reshuffle of Ver-

has the Kwangtung capital fal- Servia, and Rumania became the Quadi) had invaded and one of his brothers. len to an invading alien army the territory of an invader in settled in Bohemia and the ad- The Pope had accepted a of Anne of Bohemia, daughter 1914 and 1915; Russia capitu- joining province, Moravia; but Slavonic liturgy, introduced to of Charles IV. and wife of our lated in 1917. Nearly all of they later pushed onward into Bohemia by Greek missionaries, own Richard I. Hussites began. the only logical conclusion that France was overrun and the what is now known as Bavaria, unwillingly, and when Prague to be persecuted as disciples of can be reached is that silver has Italians were meeting with dis- and were replaced, after an in- became a bishopric, he insisted Wyclif, and Huss himself, peraster after disaster at the hands terval of Lombard power, by a on the use of Latin. Thus suaded by Sigismund of Hun-

which for three years fought a This process—the German priests from Germany. During fend his views before a General The story of this apparent losing war finally prevailed. I'ms conquest and exodus—seems to the 12th and 18th centuries, Council of the Church, was arbetrayal may not be told for is history which the Chinese have occupied the first five cen- moreover, they began to en- rested and burnt at the stake in turies A.D. Bohemia by the sixth courage the immigration of 1415. During the Japanese advance, century appears to have been German traders and craftsmen. The first effect of Huss's. China's gateway and stronghold this newspaper received one or almost completely Slav, but even Already the Premyslids (as martyrdom was a virtual nain the South has fallen, and a two letters from Chinese readers in the first century, or earlier so the Royal House was called) tional revolt against allegiance accusing us of pro-Japanism be- archaeological evidence in- were acknowledging the au- to Rome. A series or religious cause we published reports dis-dicates. Bohemia had at least a thority of the Holy Roman Em- wars followed, which were not Treason is making its appear- closing that the Japanese ad- scattering of Slav inhabitants. peror and marrying German really ended for 200 years. The

GRIN AND BEAR IT

came for a time under the Czech tal. King of Bohemia; in the 14th and again the 15th century there were brief periods of Slovak in-The Czecho-Slovakia of the dependence. But Czechs and out in 1806. The blind King the country to independence Peace Treaties did, indeed, in-Slovaks-originally the same John mentioned carlier was a were not something, as it were, clude a few square miles of what people and preserving even to member of the House of Luxem-dropped out of a hat by the was formerly Prussia. This day almost the same language—bourg, but married to a Premysmall section contined under 50, have continued to belong to slid Princess. His son, Charles Most British schoolchlidren 000 inhabitants—of whom 80 different countries and to be IV., spoke French, German and per cent. spoke (and speak) a governed on the whole under Bohemian with equal facility, Moravian-Czech dialect. The different systems, although from and insisted that his German remainder of Czecho-Slovakia 1490 until 1918 they shared the officials should speak the nationmembers of the Chinese National was carved out of the old Austro- same foreign Sovereigns. The al language. The use of Czech It became a maxim under the Government is a greater blow to Hungarian Empire, where the Kingdom of Bohemia survived in or German was optional in the old Roman laws that Treason the cause of China than the loss Sudetens had been neighbours of reality until 1620 and in theory civic assemblies. Half a cenwas next to sacrilege in gravity, of a city. Such utterances sow the Czechs in a common State, till 1918. There was no "King- tury before the German univer-

son may now be said to rank in rear, she cannot hope to con-Bohemia is still dim for lack of The earliest Czech rulers—to Under his successor, Wencesmost countries as the gravest tinue her gallant stand in front. records and excess of racial pro- return to Bohemia—did not las IV., serious reforms were offence that can be committed aster, but it was no more Sudetens regard one another King Wenceslas," though he was leader of the reformers was disaster than was the loss of the with varying degrees of em- to have four namesakes with the John Huss, Rector of the Uni-It is still too early to state definitely that Treason and traitors were involved in the downfall of Canton although, in view of all the circumstances there of the China can, as the British, French and Italian people of all the circumstances there of the China can, as the British, French and Italian people of all the circumstances there of the China can, with continued unity, as the British, French and Italian people of all the circumstances there of the China can, as the British, French and Italian people of all the circumstances there of the China can, with continued unity, as the British, French and Italian people of all the circumstances there of the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, with continued unity, the China can, with continued unity, and the China can, wi of all the circumstances, there learned in the dark days of seems no other explanation. 1914-17, that there is no dis-Never in its centuries of history defeat or retreat. Belgium, (notably the Marcomanni and murdered on his way to Mass by through Bohemian students who

No sane person would build princesses. Two members of conflict was nationalist as well than official Chinese sources political theories on the scanty the House had been granted by as doctrinal. George of Podewould admit. We believed then, data to be derived from these the Emperors the personal (not brad, elected first as Regent, and

By Lichty

Crecy, and from whose helm the early folk-wanderings, but it is hereditary (title of King before Black Prince is said (by a prob-fair, I think, to note that both Premsyl Ottaker I. (1197-1230) ably untrue legend) to have Czechs and Germans can claim succeeded in obtaining the kingpicked the three feathers which that their races are anything ship as a hereditary title, confirmed by the Pope and by suc-Even before they had estab- cessive Emperors.

King lished themselves in Moravia While the dignity of the Czech have and Bohemia the Slav in their realm was being raised, increawestward advance must have sing ties were being created overrun what is now Slovakia, with the Holy Roman Empire, and by the end of the 9th cen- and an increasing German tury a "Great Moravian" Empire minority entering the Bohemian had been established which in- kingdom. They mainly kept to cluded the Western Slovaks, their own language and largely the popular mind envelopes the But this Empire was broken to their own settlements. The early in the 10th century by the Sudeten Germans had arrived-Magyars, who gained possession or returned. Yet the distance of Slovakia in the 11th century which separates mediaevol racial and continued to hold it, except jealousies from modern theories Had the Czechs and their believe that the German-speak- for brief intervals, as part of of "blood-and-soil" are well illusthe Hungarian Kingdom till trated in the reign of the great Charles of Bohemia, who as the In the second half of the 18th Emperor Charles IV. (1846-78) century Slovakia, it is true, made Prague his favourite capi-

HUSS'S MARTYRDOM

The Premyslid House had died sities had been organised he Much of the early history of THE GERMANS' RETURN founded the University of

came to England in the retinue Wenceslas and his successors, gary, brother of Wenceslas, to trayal the world has known for has known. But morals re-ninetcen centuries.

BOTH OF EARLY ORIGIN ruling over a still largely pagan travel under promise of a safe-mained firm, and the nations BOTH OF EARLY ORIGIN people, welcomed educated conduct to Constance and de-

> then as Bohemia's only Protestant King, was the only purely Czech monarch after the Premy-

After the reigns of Vladislav

and Louis of Poland, to whom the Crown had passed, Bohemia fell in 1526 under four centuries of Hapsburg domination. The art-loving and eccentric Rudolph II., who made Prague again the capital of the Empire, issued the celebrated "Letter of Majesty" which gave the Bohemian Protestant religion ecclesiastical and educational rights at least equal to those of the Catholic minority. Rudolph was, however, deposed, and the Crown passed in turn to his brother Matthew and his nephew, Ferdinand II., who determined to reconquer Bohemia for the Roman Catholic faith. The Thirty Years' War, which devastated so much of Europe, actually, began with the celebrated. Defenestration of Prague," when three of Ferdinand's Roman Catholic coun-

LINK WITH BRITAIN It was at this point that the Diet deposed Ferdinand and (Continued on Page 5.1



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BROADRIBB TALENT IN COURT

"To have the stuffing knocked out of him and the Ten Commandments knocked into him," 17-years-old Leonard Garrett stepped from the dock at London Sessions recently to start life as a professional boxer.

That was how the acting Deputy Chairman, Mr. Richard O'Sullivan, K.C., described it, after he had listened to an appeal on Garrett's behalf from Mr. Ted Broadribb, former manager of Tommy Farr, and now instructor in the Ten Commandments to Garrett.

Garrett, it was stated, had been before the court a number of times previously, and on this occasion was up for sentence after pleading guilty at Lam-

LIVES ON

ARTIFICIAL

Thirty-eight-year-old Gor-

"perpetual sentence of death."

and is being kept alive only

His strange case began in 1927,

year, when he collapsed again.

Doctors could not diagnose his

was realised that he had ceased to

"MUST KEEP GOING"

A blood transfusion from his wife

This year he collapsed again and

"My wife-and I and two childre" are dependent on public assist-

ance," Avery said, "and I don't

know what we shall do for the

"But I must keep going, and if I

Since 1910 surf life-savers have

extra nourishment I require.

hospital to fight his battle with

saved him, daily injections restored

his strength, and he left hospital.

When it was added that Gar- THIS MAN WON SCHOOL CUP rett had won a cup for boxing at an approved school, Mr. Broadribb said that he had trained lada with criminal records before, and many had turned out afterwards as useful citizens and good boxers.

beth to stealing a car.

BLOODOne, an ex-Borstal boy, became dyweight champion of the world. So Mr. O'Sullivan bound Garrett over, and put him in the care of Mr. Broadribb, who will, as he himself said afterwards, "train him on the

right lines." "And a healthy body means clean mind," he added, as we talked at his home in Phelps-street, Wal-

"THEY ALL FORGET"

"I have been doing this sort of thing for years, and not one of my boys have let me down. I first of all when he was invalided out of the give them a good talking to, tell Navy following recurring bouts of them to forget their past, and then pneumonia. He recovered, and held put them through their paces in the various shore jobs until January last

"If the boy has any boxing tendencles in him, I soon get it out of him. trouble, but when it was found that It does not take them long to forget no nourishment could help him it

the bad things in their life. "They get so keen on their work manufacture blood. and are always so grateful of the chance to make a name for themselves in the ring that they have no time or inclination to get into mischief.

"I have had in the past young he has been again discharged from weaklings, obviously heading for a criminal career, who have grown up death. into fine strapping men under my

STARTS IMMEDIATELY

"I am hoping to make young Garrett a champion. Although he has been in trouble before as a result of can get the use of my legs again I'll foolish boyish escapades, there is a try to find light work somewhere." lot of good in the boy and he has promised he will do everything I tell

"He will go in training straight away and then do a bit of sparring with other young boxers I have in the gym. If he shapes as I think he will, I shall fix him up for a contest. He ought to be able to make 'n good honest living out of the game and, who knows-he might become

a world champion, "A lot of people seem to think rescued more than 37,000 people. A that boxers are generally thugs. But deputation made this claim to the there are black sheep in every pro- Warringah Shire Council. fession, and the professional boxer | The lives saved were valued of to-day is a gentleman who, out of £74,000,000. Councillor Butcher said the ring, is far too polite and law- that the Government Statistician abiding to be involved in trouble." valued a human life at £2,000.

Doyle No. 27

replied with a shake of his head.

"I am sorry I cannot tell you

the name yet," he said "because

there are one or two complica-

tions with the family. I can

say, however, that the romance

He added that the fight had only

made him still more enthusiastic

"I was just unlucky to lose in the

way I did. To-morrow my manager

and I are meeting one of the big

London promoters and we- hope to

another important contest. I can-

not say whether my next; opponent

will be Phillips, but it is my decrest

wish to meet him again."

is not affected by my defeat."

about his career us a boxer.

There's A Hitch In

Doyle's Romance

(By A Special Reporter)

TAVING done one "disappearing act" by falling

fight with Eddie Phillips, Jack Doyle, Ireland's

remainder of the night in the West End. He was faithfully

trailed—for had not Doyle promised to disclose the name of a

"beautiful lady of titled family" who had agreed to become Mrs.

songster-boxer, tried to do another recently.

head-long from the ring at Harringay in his

After being counted out outside the ring, Doyle spent the



General Jan Syrovy, Inspector General of the Czech army. Idol of the people, he was chosen Premier and War Minister when the Hodza cabinet resigned. He is 50, and fought with Russian troops against the Germans in the World War. He lost his right eye at Zborov, Poland, and wears a patch over the

don Avery, of Cecil Street, Warriors Remains He has lost the power to manufacture his own blood, Found On by weekly injections of blood substitute costing 30s. each.

A 24-year-old Sidcup (Kent) shop-owner, Mr. Ernest Greenfield, has unearthed on a hill-top at Riscley, near Farningham, 70 skeletons of Julish warriors and women, said by the Venerable Bede to be the ancestors of the people of Kent. Some have been found only two feet below the surface of the children's playground on Dartford Rural Council's new housing estate.

Among them is the skeleton of a warrior well over 6ft., with the heavy sword, bit. spear, and 414ft, shield which he carried when he roamed the Thamesside hills 14 centuries ago.

"They were massive people," Mr. Greenfield said. "One of the women was 6ft, 1in. tall and built propor-

Nation's Art Treasures Sent Away

Some of the pictures from the National Gallery have been removed rest until we have explored every to places of safety, the removal taking place after dusk and under mili- | Valley." tary escort. Mr. F. I. G. Rawlins, who is in

charge of the gallery's A.R.P. scheme, has made plans for the care of the whole of the 3,300 pictures. The central rooms, containing works of the Italian schools, are closed and the staff is working to

midnight to crate the pictures. At the British Museum red tabs have been placed on hundreds of treasures to indicate that they are to be first for removal. Some will be housed in deep tun-

nels, and others taken to country The thousands of exhibits remaining will be protected by sandbags, and the glass roof will be boarded

and sandbagged. Most public buildings in the heart of London have been supplied with material and black paint for darken-ing windows. County Hall, the ing windows. County Hall, the headquarters of the L.C.C., has thick

many of the windows. While the Home Office is satisfied with the progress of gas-mask distribution, it emphasises that there must be no slackening in the work because of apparent easing in the landing without permission. international situation.

brown paper already pasted over

G.B.S. Wants

Conference at Keswick that he

This committee hoves to produce a draft wheme to establish a body advising powepapers on the purity of the English language and simplification of spelling.

without a sign of decay. "Knives were uncarthed in 75 per able (Swing along); This'll make you cent. of cases, including a baby whistle (This'll make you whistle))

knife in a baby's grave.
"We also found iron buckles, shield with Chorus and Orchestra. bosses, spear-heads, an almost per-fect glass dish, five circular gold brooches set with precious stones and ornaments of glass, bronze, silver, (C. B. Cochran's 'Home and amber and purple amethyst quartz. Beauty'); No More (C. B. Cochran's 'Now we want to discover the vil- 'Home and Beauty')...with Orlage in the valley where these people chestra cond. by G. Walter.

Mr. Greenfield is assisted by some of the 200 members of the 'Dartford Antiquarian Society-clerks, salesmen, dentists and business men. Digging, which will continue throughout the winter, is done after

working hours and at week-ends. Mr. Greenfield said: "We shall not archaeological site in the Darenth

Woman Refugee 3 Days In Bunker

A refugee woman, who was Planos-Little smuggled into London in a Trot; Three ship's bunker, left Old Street Fox-Trot....The Three Virtuosos;

radiant" in the knowledge that she tin' Sentimental Over You; The could remain openly in England. | Snake Charmer; Greenwich Witch Rachael Rosenberg (36), described Twilight in Turkey; Serenade for a as of Lordship Road, Stoke Newing- Wealthy Widow....Torch. ton, who has been in hiding in London for a year, was fined 10s, for stream Guards.

FORGOT MARRIED NAME Rosenberg sald that she believed 10.45 London Relay-Victoria and the was born in Petrograd. She was Disraeli'. married when she was 15, and her A play specially written for broadhusband, whose surname she had casting by Hector Bolitho with Dame against the Bolshevists.

business in Berlin as a dressmaker, Disraeli: Narrator, Laidman Browne: but on the advent of Hitler in 1933, John Brown, the Queen's Scottish fled to Poland, and then to Antwerp, servant, James Woodburn; Montague When she had to leave she went to Corry, Secretary to Disraell, Morthe harbour intending to drown herthe harbour intending to drown here land Graham; Lady-in-Waiting to self, but a man said that he would Queen Victoria, Mary Hinton; Colonel help her to get out of the country for £10.

STARVED THREE DAYS "He put me in a bunker where they put their things," Rosenberg's statement continued. "I did not eat anything all the time, and only had a few drinks of water." On the third day they got to London.

Court said that Rosenberg was in no sense an underly and it is notified by the Military auThe magistrate made a recomthorities that firing practice will be
mendation for deportation, "but the carried out from Pakthawan Fort
chances are that she will be allowed between 6 p.m. and midnight to-day,
to live a normal and, I hope, reasonand from the same fort during the
ably happy life."

It is notified by the Military auHupeh, Kingyuan, Surdhand, Segree,
On two counts of two cou

Answering Mr. Kerstein, Sergeant

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6.30 Beethoven-Symphony No. 3 In E Flat Major, Op. 55 (Erolca). Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

(Soprano). The Shepherd on the Rock (Schubert)....with Piano accomp. by George Reeves. Clarinet: Reginald Closing local Stock Quota-

7.13 Song by Elisabeth Schumann

tions. 7.25 London Relay-Music Hall. Including Peter Dawson (Baritone), Issy Bonn (The Hebrew Vocal Reconteur) Elsie Carlisle and Sam Browne (Radio's Pioneer Ductusts) with The BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell.

Presented by John Sharman. 8.0 Time, Weather and Announce-8.03 Webster Booth (Tenor) and

London Palladium Orchestra. I Hear You Calling Me (Marshall, arr. Haydn Wood); Bird Of Love Divine (Haydn Wood) The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean; A Song For You And Me (Rizzi); Moon Of Romance (Strachey) Webster (Tenor) with Orch.; Everybody's Songs (arr. Geehl); Intro: I passed by your window; Somewhere a voice is calling; Down Vaunxhall Way, know of two bright eyes; O lovely Night, Passing by, Come to the Fair The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean; A Year of Theatre Land; Intro: Play, Orchestra, play (To-night at 8.30); Music in May (Careless Rapture); I breathe on windows (Over she goes) Drop in next time you're passing (Going Places) Anything Goes tionately. Their teeth were superb, (Anything Goes); Love is a dancing thing (Follow the Sun); Unbeliev-

> -8.33. Two Songs by Gitta Alpar (Soprano). Sing Something In The Morning

....Janet Lind and Webster Booth

8.40 B.B.C. Recording-A Talk on 'Speed' by Sir Malcolm Campbell.

8.50 Sindlo - Beethoven Trio played by Prue Lewis (Violin). Ettore Pellegatti ('Cello) and Lindsay A. Lafford (Plano). 9.20 Three Bongs by Alexander

Kipnis (Bass). Heidenrosiein (Goethe-Schubert, Op. 3, No. 3); Impatience (Muller-Schubert, Op. 25, No. 7); The Erl King (Goethe-Schubert, Op. 1) with Gerald Moore at the Plano.

9.30 London Relay-The News. 9.50 A Dance and Variety Programme.

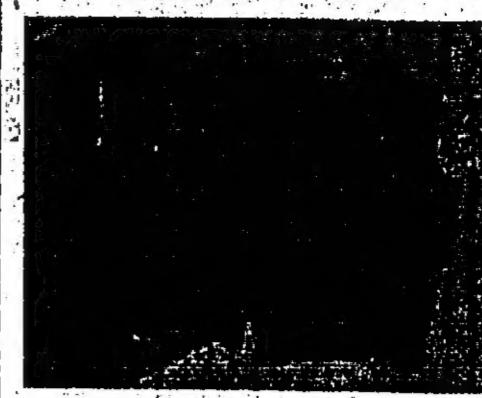
Orch:-Anligua-Rumba,

Barbary Coast Blues ... Joe Daniels and His Hot Shots in "Drumnasticks"; Vocal and Plano-I Won't A Soul (Parker-Charles), Two Shadows (from the Film).... Leslie Hutchinson; Instrumental-Pua Carnation (Traditional); Pali-Blues (Traditional)....The Tahiti Beachcombers; Vocal-Dinah (Lewis-Young-Akst); It Don't Mean A Thing (Ellington)....The Boswell Sisters accompanied by . the Dorsey Brothers Orchestra; Three Silhouetto-Fox-Jolly Fellows-Her solicitor, Mr. Alfred Kerstein, His Orchestra; Organ-Hot Pipes; said that she was "absolutely Intro: The Toy Trumpet; I'm Get-10.33 The Band of H. M. Cold-

> 1812 Overture (Tchalkovsky); Colonel Bogey-March (Alford).

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The following vossels were in communication with Houstons up to 8 p.m. resterday and communication with them can treasonably be expected to-day: Pelix Roussel, Tegelberg, Rawalpindi,

MAIL DESTROYED

An adjournment of three days was granted Detective-Sergeant J. Allen by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy on Saturday, when he Haltan, Conte Blancamano, Sulyang, prosocuted a postman, Chau Yu, 37;

account of legal rosts t Ha brought the first or second round

The information was not forth- an action against the board for recoming. Doyle was determined that covery of £3,000 declared forfeit his latest romance should be a closely after he had been disqualified against Jack Petersen. He lost, and has Mayfair is now trying to guess her since been clearing off the debt by name, but to all suggestions Doyle 25 per cent. Instalments of his fight Bigger Alphabet

HIGHEST PAID

"But now he can earn some real money," said Dan Sullivan, his manager. "We are prepared now to sign for a return match for £1,000-u

With the improvement in the international situation, Mr. Halls was willing to listen to the pro-

position. "If only he would forget the stage, the films, and his singing and get down to the fighting business, what a packet of money he could make!" sighed Sullivan.
This is probably correct, for work-Doyle's share came to £2,500 (or ing it out on the payment-by-round £1,250 per round) and the money is basis, Mr. Doyle is Britain's highest-going to give him a clean sheet with paid fighter. All his contests in the Board of Control. England and the United States, with lie still owes them about 2300 on the exception of two, have ended in

Declaring that "the simplification of spelling is hopeless," Mr. George Bernard Shaw adds: "What we want is an enlarged alphabet, like the Russian, which can spell the English language. Our present Latin alphabet cannot."

Mr. Shaw made these comments in reply to a suggestion from the Institute of Journalists' should serve on a sub-com-

"I am too old to undertake further activities," replied Mr.

For The Ball

Eastern Defeated For

First Time In Soccer League

South China Defence Too Good for Opposing Attack

(By "Abe")

Unbeaten in three matches, Eastern tasted defeat for the first time in the First Division of the Hongkong Football League yesterday when they lost to South China "A" by five goals to nil at Caroline Hill. Expectations of good football from these two teams were not realised: the Caroline Hill men were far superior and, especially towards the end, completely dominated the play.

the Eastern defence stood up to the time he failed. pressure and when the ball was After play had been in progress swung across to the other end, the for 15 minutes, Kwok Ying-kee put Caroline Hill club's goal had a nar- South China in the lead with a fine row escape when Hau Ching-to, the header from a free kick taken by left-wing, just failed to beat Pau Tang Kwong-sum. He got his head

kee, an old Eastern player, had the out-stretched hands of the Eastscored with a header for South ern goalle. Ten minutes later, Tang China, the Eastern defence collapsed Kwong-sum sent in a curling shot and did not offer nearly as much from the right, which dipped sudresistance as it did in the opening dealy and entered the net in the far minutes, Only Hau King-shing, the centre-half, retained his steadiness to the end; the others were too Sustered to play constructive football but kicked wildly as soon as they tiad the ball.

A CONTRAST In contrast to the harried Eastern St. Andrew's backs remained calm and collected They offered a bulwark in which the attacking forwards could discern few attacking forwards could discess few loop-holes. As a result, Eastern had loop-holes. very: few scoring opportunities; Nevertheless, the final score of 5-0 rather flattered the South China team because the Eastern forwards tried hard enough at times to deserve one good at least.

the second half commenced did the bination by four goals to two. Eastern team little good; as a matter

ponents. to his old position in the centre, exchanges in the first half and Canked by Lau Hing-choi on the would have been at least two goals ing encounter by a goal to nil. right and Lee Kwok-wai on the left, to the good had Miss P. Gittins and South China intermediate line was a Miss E. Churn been more accurate very strong one indeed, as Eastern with their sticks. found to their cost. The superiority which the South China half-backs play in the second half and owed give the first match of the present Their covering also was faulty. catabilished in midfield paved the their victory very largely to Mrs. M. season a good send-off. way to their comfortable victory. White, their brilliant leader. And when one adds that Lee Tin- characteristic style she broke through sang was at his best at left back and the Saints' defence to complete the Mak Sul-hon seldom kicked wildly "hat trick." Miss M. Booker was as he is prone to do, the enormity of responsible for the fourth. the task before the Eastern forwards | Saints' new inside-left, Miss A. can be realised.

get under the ball.

SUEN BOTTLED the Eastern attack, was not allowed slowness in defensive work. back on their own, the other four mences.

For the first 15 minutes of the were not nearly as effective as usual, game, the game was fast and in- especially Hau Ching-to, who had a teresting . Though South China very poor game. Twice, however, attacked most of the time, he was in position to score but each

to the ball as it was sailing towards However, as soon as Kwok Ying- the goal-mouth and guided it past

Leading by 2-0 at half-time, South China continued exerting pressure at (Continued on Page 9)

(By "The Pilgrim")

The C.B.A. gave a magnificent display at King's Park last Saturday Several changes in position when to defeat a strong St. Andrew's com-There was a surprising transof fact, the defence seemed weak- formation in this game when both ened, for it was in the last 35 minutes attacks in the second half found that South China over-ran their op- | their shooting form, six goals being scored during this period. With Loung Wing-chiu returning Spints had slightly the better of the

Greiner, who scored both their goals, Lau Hing-hon, the Eastern goal- was most energetic and threatened keeper, could not be blamed for the danger whenever she get within shots which beat him. All were shooting range. The attack was unvery fine efforts. The second goal fortunate, however, to run up against he might have saved; but Tang the C.B.A. pivot and captain, Miss I. Kwong-sum's shot was a deceptive Woolley, when she was in real form. one, curling back just enough to Miss J. Booker was also a tremendous worker at right half. Miss Peggy Everest was splendid at right Steen Kam-shuen, the "brains" of back and made up for her partner's There were times in the second half the winners, defeated well, but were

to make his customary passes to his On their showing on Saturday, the colleagues but was tackled first time | C.B.A. should develop into a strong as soon as he had the ball. Thrown combination before the season com- their first-time clearances.



RECREIO SCORE CLOSE VICTORY OVER Suggestion to Umpires By "The Pilgrim" THE C.B.A.

First Match Played In H.K.H.A. Tournament

(By "The Pilgrim")

In the first Hongkong Hockey Association Tournament game of the season, the Club de Recreio, on their bome ground at King's Park yesterday morning, defeated the C.B.A. in a fast and interest-

both teams were at full strength. Taylor, though they played well, to find his mark. However, the C.B.A. dominated Supporters turned up in force to were too often caught out of position.

terrific first-timer which crashed kicking. against the upright and rebounded into play. Luck seemed to be

ERRATIC SHOOTING

G. Fowler, as leader of the attack, was the best of the forwards. He showed he was no believer in the "get rid of the ball at any price" theory. His dribbling ought to have yielded better results but like the rest of the line, he could do nothing right at close quarters. Stan Mac-Nider, at right half, gave a poor display and was content to join the second half. N. Whitley was the ground at King's Park last Saturday, quicker-thinking team.

So far as hockey skill was con-The fast-moving Recreio attack cerned, the Rees did enough in the knitted together from the first blow first half to earn full points, no matof the whistle and within five ter what happened in the later minutes a hard pass sent in across stages. J. Gonsalves, Beltrao and the goal-mouth by J. Soares, on the Ozorlo were consistent in the attack. right wing, was intercepted by H. J. Soares, on the right, was the most Ozorio, who made no mistake in impressive winger. W. A. Reed, as finding the net with a rising shot. pivot, came into prominence during Play was soon transferred to the the second period of the game and other end and Bickford, from a Marques, at right half, was grand corner hit, only missed his mark by throughout. Young V. Ribeiro, in inches. G. Fowler in turn sent in a goal, was a big success with his hefty

Both goals had soveral narrow Starbuck and Taylor formed a solld against the C.B.A. sharp-shooters, escapes in the closing stages. Recreto, line of defence. when the C.B.A. seemed certain to lucky to take both points. It was, draw level but Albert Rodrigues and however, a hard-fought-game, and E. L. Gosano gave little away with in my opinion, the C.B.A. were worth

Y. M. C. A. REVEAL FINE FORM

Most agreeable to their supporters spectators in watching his team play was the surprising form which the gave a rather poor display, but they from the side-line throughout the Y.M.C.A. showed on their home were up against a well-balanced and

In his weekly hockey notes on Thursday, "The Pilgrim" will write on "Suggestions to Umpires." He can be relied upon to give some useful suggestions; so, players and umpires, be on the look-out!

They scored three goals without these four did not let the side down. reply against the Radio and Postal Sports Club.

On resumption, the "Y" had most | 17. of the play and their forwards, Bartlett, Kraus and Rose, were more convincing. Rose got the second goal with a terrific first-timer just within the circle, Lim being beaten all the way. A few minutes later. Bartlett, by clever anticipation, add-

Dawson was as usual a success at centre-half, intercepting centres in one to watch than the Second Intergreat style. Rose at inside left was port, though not as consistently the best forward and was always an exciting as the First. Nevertheless alert opportunist. Kempton, the right half, was also outstanding and full of energy, always getting the even when the Shanghai men were better of Dunn and Jangeer Singh, piling up their points in the middle

WEAK RADIO ATTACK

sixes and sevens, with Dunn and hai men pulled together a little bit Awtar Singh below their usual better than the Hongkong players. standard. The forwards battered in vain against a strong defence but the pretty stickwork and individual play Shanghal. When Wallace drove the now a doubtful rider in the got them nowhere. M. H. Hassan as jack into the ditch to score four on | Cesarewitch,-Reuter. pivot was in the limelight with his cool defensive work, and was well supported by Kitchell on his right. J. Singh and M. Singh were notable for long and haphazard clearances without respect for direction or

The Radiomen, as a team, indeed

BY SHANGHAI Hongkong's Recovery Made Too Late In The Match

SERIES ANNEXED

Shanghai clinched the Interport Lawn Bowls series on Saturday by winning the third match against Hongkong on the Club de Recreio green. They tied the first match at 20-20, won the second easily by 30-10 and the third by 20-17.

by 10-17.

Jumps High INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS

Unfortunately for Hongkong, J. A. da Luz, the lead, threw the jack into the ditch in his effort to make it a long head, and K. L. Swartzell, his unable to save the four after; the opposite number in the Shanghai jack had been taken down to the rink, premptly rolled the jack only ditch. Except for the first shot, the just past the flag for a very short others were two yards away, but in

out. Shanghai had revelled on the short heads, and Hongkong seemed more at home on the long ones. And true to the form displayed earlier on, Shanghai managed to score on this last vital head, taking a single to

NOT RELIABLE

Many people had regarded the Hongkong rink, comprising J. A. da Luz, F. X. M. da Silva, C. G. Silva and U. M. Omar (skip) as the best of the three Hongkong rinks, partly because the first three were playing on their own green. Peculiarly enough, however, it was Omar who gave the best performance of the four. The other three were not as reliable as had been expected.

After their win in the Second Interport, it was only natural that Shanghai would again rely on K. L. Swartzell, J. M. C. Lopes, A. M. Gutierrez and Hugh Wallace (skip) to carry them through. Once again,

Playing very well together, especially in the first 15 heads, the the 20th made the Hongkong score rinks in opposition will be as

However, in the last head, Lopes put one wood two inches in front of the jack, and despite all the efforts of the Hongkong men, the wood remained the shot until the end.

ALWAYS INTERESTING

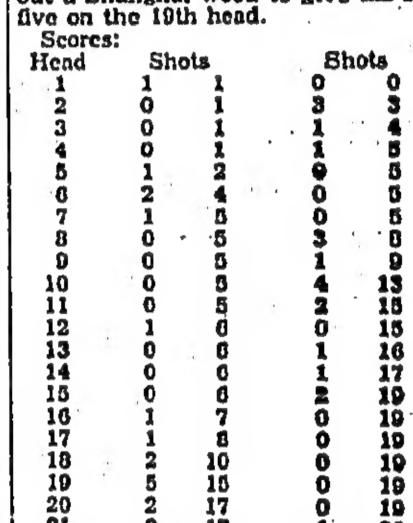
The game was a very much better there were some constantly-changing heads which kept the interest alive stages of the encounter.

Hugh Wallace and U. M. Omar, the two skips, were the outstanding players, both being often in the The Radio attack was often at limelight. On the whole, the Shang-

Whatever luck there was went to

At one stage of the encounter on the tenth head, he was aided by a Saturday, Shanghai led by 19-6, but slight wick which changed the the local players made a great rally direction of his wood just sufficientto get to within two shots of their ly for him to carry the kitty. On opponents' total and when the last another occasion, on the 18th when end was played, Shanghai led only Hongkong were lying four, Wallace, with his last wood, was somewhat lucky to save two, helped by another

Omar failed badly when he was his anxiety to draw first shot, he came up too heavy. On the other The green was very fast through- hand, he played several lovely woods, one of which was when he picked out a Shanghai wood to give his side



RINKS CHOSEN

The Shanghai players will visit the There was not a great deal be- Shanghal men ran away to a 19-6. Hongkong Football Club this aftertween the sides in the first half Just when everything seemed over noon. The Footballers will be rewhen the home team met with suc- bar the shouting, Hongkong staged a presented by J. S. Howell, G. Duncess through Kraus. Radio should magnificent recovery which all but can. E. Tuck and W. Gill (sklp). have levelled the score through carried them to level terms. Singles To-morrow the visitors will go to Pyara Singh but on two occasions, on the 16th and 17th, a two on the Government House to play against The weather was glorious and best half and the backs, Bond and with Benwell at his mercy, he failed 18th, a five on the 19th and two on H. E. The Governor's team. The

> Bhanghai H. E. The Governor
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> W. Houston Dr. L. Newton
> H. L. R. Swartzell F. B. Carter
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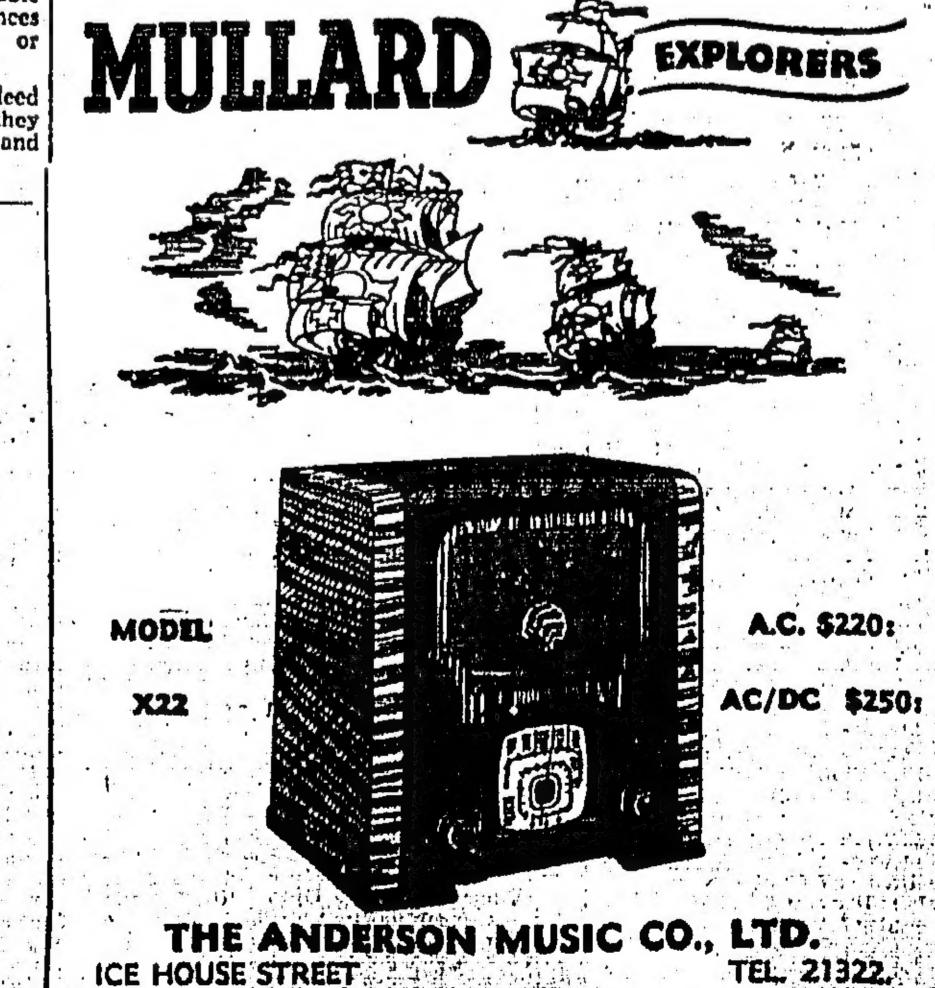
J. F. McGowan

JOCKEY HURT IN **MOTOR ACCIDENT**

London, Oct. 23. The well-known jockey, Maher has been admitted to the Cambridge Nursing Home with scalp wounds following a motor accident. He is







RUGGER MATCH AGAINST THE NAVY

Bidwell Absent And Chadwick Injured In Opening Minutes

(By "Fly-Hall")

The Navy defeated the Club by 22 points (two goals and four tries) to nil at Causeway Bay on Saturday; but the game was of very little belp in ascertaining the respective strength of the two

services of H. D. Bidwell; the cap- splendid retrieving. tain and star three-quarter. His None of the wings had long runs, drawn with honours very evenly markably "if-y" shots, one of which

the opening minutes of the game, who did not once get past him. through a shoulder injury received when he was tackled in full flight. There is a probability of his injury keeping him out of the game for some time.

The brilliance of Lieut, Elliot, playing at stand-off half, aided by constant backing-up, was the cause of Navy team. Club's defeat. Lieut. Elliot sidestepped his vis-a-vis time and again to leave his three one man over and movement.

CLEVER RUN

forwards and halves, only to be occasions. tackled on the opposing "twenty-five"

touch-kicking were all that could be Richardson and Salter. desired. W. M. MacGrath was frequently caught out of position but'

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JOCKEY CLUB.

Forms for the Tenth Extra Race R. Grieve, G. Wilson, D. H. Steward; the innings, veteran R. S. W. Pater-Meeting to be held on Saturday, A. H. R. Butcher, E. C. Luscombe; son entered to show that he had mitting) may be obtained at the Oliphant, W. B. Richardson, A. J. G. a very nice 28 not out. Secretary's Office, Exchange Build- Taylor, G. J. P. Carey. Shan Kwong Road.

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Club started the game without the more than made up for it by his

first-time tackling and powerful all the tries being scored from within divided, thrusts might have made all the the twenty-fives. Wells, on the Navy left, is a strong runner with It was also very unfortunate for exceptional turn of speed. the Club to lose G. K. Chadwick in proved a match for D. H. Stewart,

> Neither scrum half rose above mediocre. E. C. Luscombe was slow to get round to the base of the scrum with the result he found the Navy wing-forwards always on top of him. Talbot was missed by the

STUCK TO TASK

generally a forward to complete the pack for the way they stuck to their careful watching. He was 'capable task despite playing one man short. of making the batsmen reach for the K. W. Salter hooked well and it was ball just outside the off stump, and not until well into the second half he forced Bertram Lay into the most Club had one or two clever in- when the Club forwards were frantic of strokes which put the ball dividual runs with the one made by obviously tiring that the Navy into the wicketkeeper's hands. W. E. Grieve outstanding. Coming hooked with any regularity. In the into possession in his own half, he loose mauls, the Navy pack was weaved his way through the Navy superior, getting the ball out on most

and with no one backing up to With the Navy preferring serums receive his pass. It was the best run to line-outs, very little line-out play of the day and it was a pity it was was seen and in this department the not put to adaptage by his team- honours went to Navy. In the loose, the Navy forwards over-ran the Club Of the full-backs on view, Lieut, men who were inclined to tackle high. Stevens was the better although he Outstanding in the Navy pack were was seldom called upon to tackle. Ogle, Boddington and Darling; and His positioning and fielding and in the Club lot were Taylor, Bompas,

> Right from, the whistle, Navy lattacked and were rewarded with a try by Askwith which Elliot converted. Boddington, Wells, Darling, Ogle and Elliot added further tries for Navy with Wells adding the extra | booked for his 50 when Lay got past | points on one occasion.

to go too high when tackling.

Lt. Elliot (Eagle), Mid. Findlay (Kent); L/S. Romans (Eagle), A. L Thatcher (Eagle) Shipt, Staple (Eagle); L/S. Webb (Daring), S.B.A Stoker (Medway); Lt. Darling (Mcd-way), Lt. Ogle (Phoenix), Lt. Boddington (Medway).

Eastern Beaten For First Time

(Continued from Page 8)

the resumption and were rewarded when Lai Shlu-wing found the net with a terrific drive from close range. The same player gave South China a 4-0 lead after this half had been in progress for 25 minutes, and before the final whistle blew. Fung King-cheung rubbed it in to Eastern with a fifth.

Teams: South China "A",-Pau Ka-ping; Mak Sul-hon, Lee Tin-sang; Lau Hing-choi, Leung Wing-chiu, Lee Kwok-wai; Tang Kwong-sum, Lai Shlu-wing, Fung King-cheung, Kwok Ying-kee and Law Tau-man.

Eastern. - Lau Hing-hon; Wong Wing-hong, Miu Wah-kwok; Ho Chor-yin, Hsu King-shing, Lo Waikuen; Lee Tak-kee, Chau Man-chi, Suen Kam-shuen, Soong Ling-sing and Hau Ching-to.

All-Round Strength ENJOYABLE GAME AT K.C.C.

(By "Verilas")

It will be very surprising if the Hongkong Cricket Club do not have a lot to say about the second division cricket championship this season. Barring loss of players through accidents or other circumstances, Club promise to turn out one of the best balanced sides in the division, 118. judging by their display against the K.C.C., at Cox's Road on Saturday,

A. C. Beck turned out for the side in this match, but the team can hardly expect to enjoy his services as he is booked for the senior eleven. Nevertheless they will have Stoker, were to win, his knock stands who did not play on Saturday, to K.C.C. were to win, his knock stands who did not play on Saturday, to were to win, his knock stands are not standing achievement. bolster the attack, which already is quite varied and hostile with Fox, Divett, Bond and Bishop to aid Skipper Erle Mitchell, ...

Bishop, in fact, promises to be their best all-rounder. He scored glorious half-century on Saturday, and although not so successful with the ball, dld flight it eleverly at times, Credit must be given to the Club and when he struck a length needed

VERY TIMELY 50

But his best contribution to the game was as timely a holf century as any side could wish for. Club were not in a particularly happy position when he came in having lost six wickets for 80 runs. But Bishop immediately dominated the bowling, effortless munner, Perry batted punishing anything on the off which was not ideal in length with tremen- hard to amass 33 not out. dous drives which put the ball through the covers at lightning bothered the batsmen. Both confinely hit boundaries, and a five, the handsomely. Whitmarsh was also result of an overthrow, were the fast off the pitch, while Sargent degems of a splendld knock.

Less spectacular, but very sound in flighting the ball. and correct, was the innings of 40 a hitherto rigid defence. King opened the innings and was eighth man Stewart on the Club wing found out, having defled the bowling for Wells hard to pass and was inclined an hour and three-quarters. H. J. D. Lowe was another who treated the The teams were: Club 1st XV:-- K.C.C. bowling in cavaller manner, Draft Programmes and Entry W. M. MacGrath; G. K. Chadwick, hitting up a quick 35, while late in

two wickets in successive balls, and Lay also kept the runs down at the opening. But the game clearly indicated that on anything but a nasty wicket, the K.C.C. attack is likely to be somewhat innocuous this year.

REFRESHING BATTING

Set to score 160 to win in 105 minutes, Kenneth Baxter and left handed Mulcahy set about the task with evident relish. Mitchell did not use Beck at the start and in half an hour Baxter and his captain had put 50 on the board. Beck come on to slow down the rate of scoring after the 80 had been hoisted, and he quickly got Mulcahy's wicket with a lovely ball. Baxter had lost his wicket just before by hitting an ordinary ball from Bishop into Bond's hands at forward mid-on. His 54 was made in very quick time and was featured by some grand stroking on the offside of the wicket. He

claimed nine boundaries. Mulcahy's 33 was slightly more painstaking though he helped to maintain a rate of scoring of nearly two runs a minute. After their dismssal the Club obtained some cheap wickets, but Gray hit vigorously, and found the boundary eight times in a knock of 37. The home side was never in danger of detent, and when stumps were drawn had scored 154 for 7, with Madar and

Luke still in possession. . Beck bowled only five overs, but was effective enough to make three of these maidens and to take one wicket for ten runs. Lowe bagged three wickets for 37 and Bishop had two for 25.

CLUB UNFORTUNATE IN | Club Shows | Norman Mackay Scores Century For K.C.C. Against Volunteers

(By "Veritas")

· Cricket at its best was enjoyed at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday, when, under ideal conditions, and on a perfect wicket, with an outfield as fast as an ice-skating rink, a K.C.C. eleven beat the Volunteers by two wickets.

Five and a half hours of play produced 432 runs for the total loss of 18 wickets, and of these, Norman Mackay had the disti ction of scoring

It was an innings punctuated by some dazzling off-drives, powerful when a high-scoring game was left hooks and pulls, and one or two reshould have lost him his wicket when he had scored 30, and another when he had passed the 60 mark. Nevertheless, in view of the array of bowlers he faced, and the fact that quick runs were ressential if the as an outstanding achievement.

50 IN 30 MINUTES . His innings occupied two hours of actual batting, the' brightest part being his first 50 which he collected in half an hour by hitting eleven boundaries. After tea he was subdued, but he scored another eight 4's ere he was caught behind the wicket off Beck, whose short bumping balls were hostile, but which lacked

The Volunteers' innings did not contain the same fireworks, but several batsmen made useful contributions in an interesting manner. Griffiths was strong on the leg side in compiling 46, though he was terribly uncomfortable against Whitmarsh, who was the most impressive of the home bowlers, maintaining an excellent length and turning the ball sufficiently to keep the batsmen playing at him.

Souza made his 32 in stylish and skilfully for his 31 and Pereira hit

Whitmarsh and Sargent alone speed on a very fast outfield. Seven centrated on length which paid pended a great deal on his eleverness

Although the Volunteers used a by R. M. M. King, who appeared battery of seven bowlers, only Beck looked really dangerous. But he was imelined to be "all over the shop," and sent down only about a dozen really good balls. Mackay hooked and cut his, high bouncing ones short of a length with splendid judgment.

, MACKAY DOMINATED

Steeling to be need on Saturday, E. A. Bompas, K. W. Salter, K. A. lost little of his well-known skill scoring to such an extent that the N. A. E. Mackay, e Fox b Beck.

5th November, 1938, (wenther per- Watson, C. M. Stark, R. G. L. with the bat, and helped himself to second highest contributor was R. T. W. F. Whitmarsh, b Souza Broadbridge, who showed a strong R. E. Lee, b Pereira Apart from Luke and Lay, the defence in hitting up 26. Double D. J. N. Anderson, e Bompas b Pereira ing; the Club House, Happy Royal Navy:-Paym. Lt. Stevens home attack lacked hostility, and on figures were reached by O'Bryen (a Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the Stables, (Eagle) Shipt. Wells (Medway); larly as one would have expected. Fincher, but the other batsmen could Luke had one fine spell when he took have scored more if they had not but. conceded their wickets in an effort to score quick runs.

Finally the home side just managed to beat the clock and won a fine



Norman Mackay

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	J. H. Fox, e Baxter b Sargent	
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Bowling Analysis

Whitmarsh 22

KOWLOON CRICKET CLUB

Mackay dominated the K.C.C. R. Broadbridge, b McKenzle 26 reoring to such an extent that the N. A. E. Mackay, c Fox b Beck 119 G. F. O'Bryen, b Divett

T. A. Madar and H. Brokenshire did not

Bowling Analysis

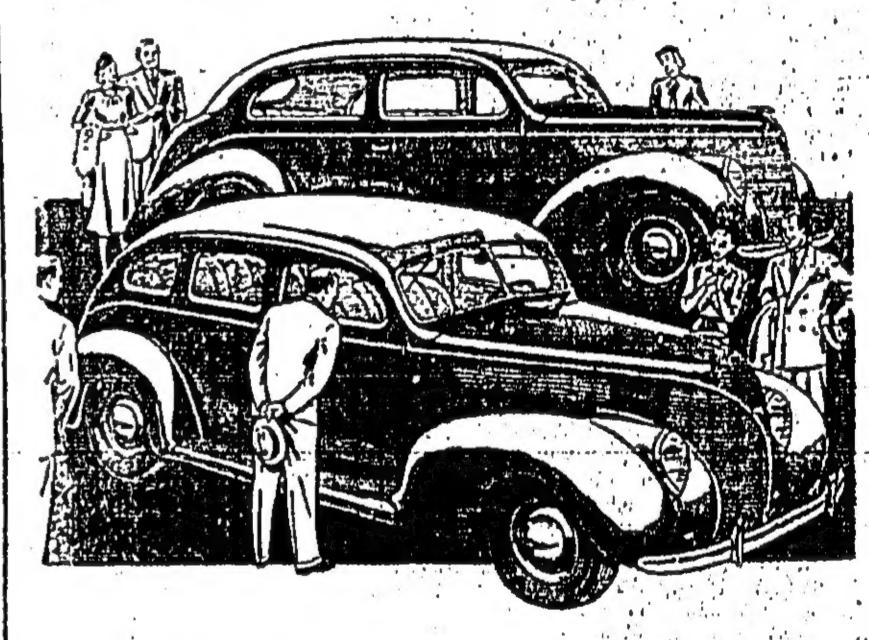
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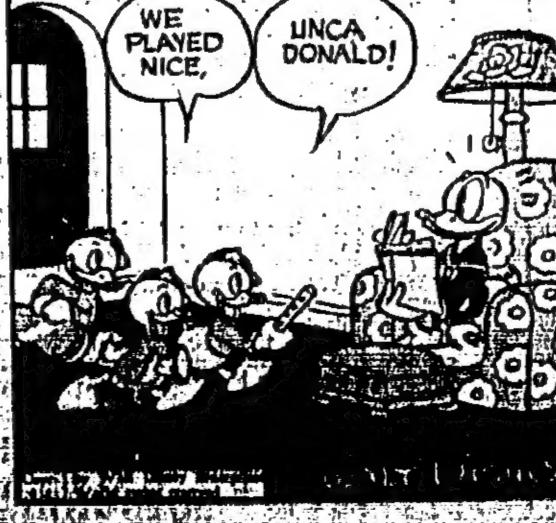
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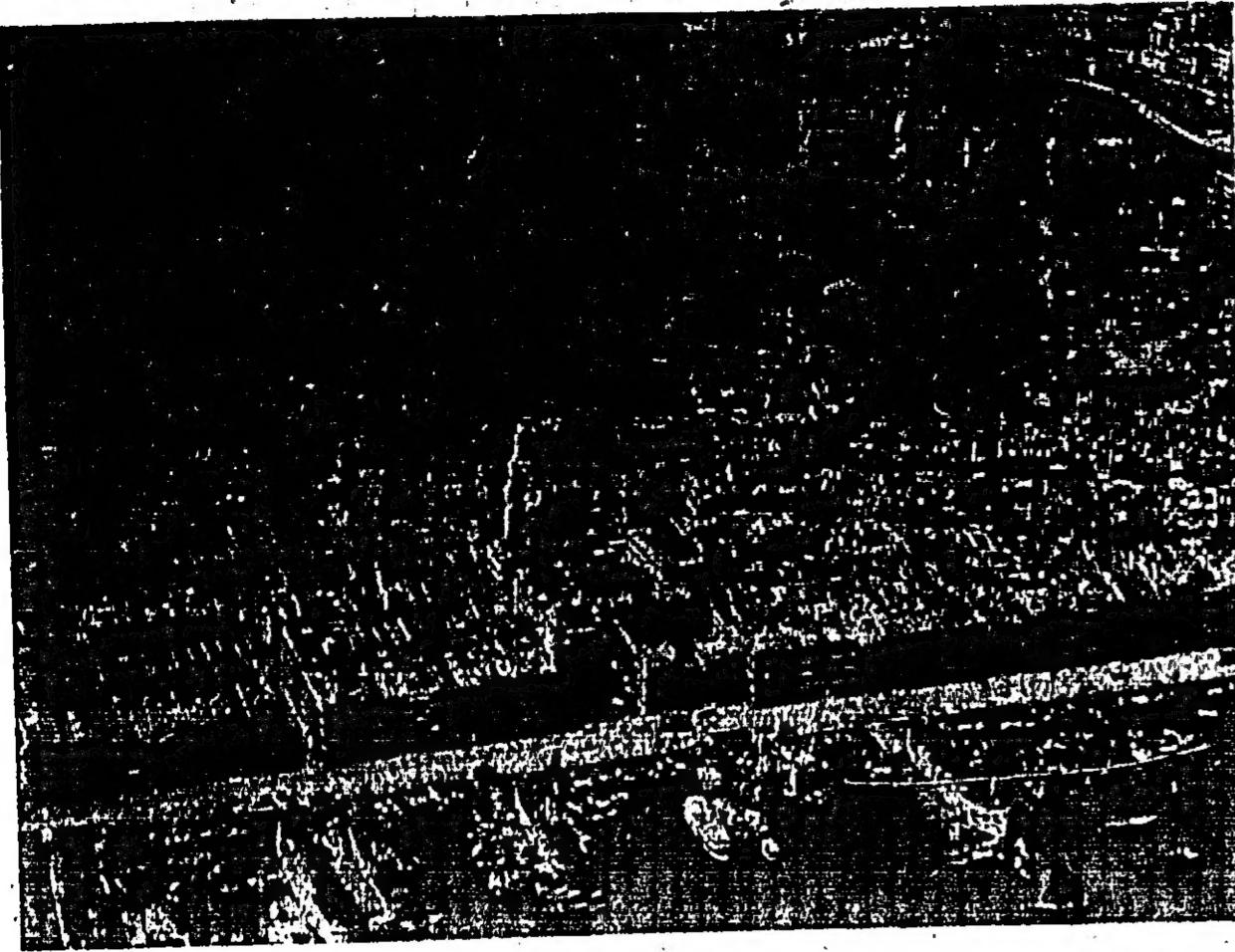




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Tourist In Hongkong Finds City Of Contrasts



have flown 21,500 miles over Imperial Airways routes from London to the heart of Africa, to Australia and finally to Britain's Far East out- 1

post, Hongkong. Certainly Hongkong has become + for the use of the Chinese armies, in Greenwich Village. With their light, snow fungus, and chicken food, barbed wire, lorries. Nearly half a million refugees have entered the city. They sleep on street corners, under the windows of shops, along the roads, and soon camps are to be set up for them. Without the presence of the foreign Governthe presence of the foreign Govern- island has become a little Coney black-bean jam and after the noodles ment in control of this British Crown Island with palmists, food shops, in soup, and almond tea we had control of this British Crown Island with palmists, food shops, in soup, and almond tea we had Colony, Japan would have had a and amusement places lining the fruit including dragon's eyes from clear road to southern China.

of hills rising 2,000 feet above the jade to live snakes in the quarter hand, city affords practically no space for and if you like to step into the Then we proceeded to the real cultivation. But terraced on those flower market you can choose business of the day. Suppose, I hills are beautiful homes. Every between clumps of fragrant white said, that we at this table were the night with the coming of dusk the ginger, lotus, wild gardenias, and great council of China, what would hills become radiant with light, a the tiny pink flowers strung on long you do?

Inityland of colour like the Chinese curling branches called the chain of Like a flash came the answer, fairyland of the curle shop wine. jewel trees in the curio shop win- love.

ONE OF GREAT PORTS

connect the city had become one of children and the muddy tatters of cans talk so much against aggresthe great ports of the world and the grown folk are in great contrast slon why don't they help China now tories on the shore to protect it.

Now with the money-making which of higher class Chinese.

There was only one way to ansaccompanies war the city is even accompanies war the city is even more prosperous.

of course, it is not. The British ad- Lulu Wong. Anna May Wong's sisininistrators have instituted many ter, herself well known in the wes- tion too, I said. If Chinese women reforms which are western, and tern theatre world, and have gone were in power would they stop that underneath my windows at the Pen- with her to a Chinese play where form of minor but accepted graft insula Hotel is the starting point of the property man wearing a singlet that in the Far East is "squeeze." the longest continuous railway line trotted about, the actors addressed Some of them thought that huin the world on which you might the audience in long dialogues, one man beings, men and women, were travel to the English Channel in of the women players in a chiffon pretty much alike. But most of three weeks. That is, you might if robe embroidered with sequins them believed that women would the way were not blocked by fighting flourished an American cotion handin the north.

much Chinese atmosphere. The for-corner of the stage squealed and eigners are definitely in the minor- banged away, the wings were One of them advanced the opinion ity. There is the constant clop, clop crowded with watchers (some of that women want little beyond a few of heelless shoes on the pavement, them crying bables), the audience dresses and some jewelry, and "not Rickshas are the popular means of cracked pumpkin and melon seeds, the millions that men can spend in conveyance. The harbour is thronged down in front of the stage intent. Chinese women know that with golden sailed sampans and junks, some of them floating kitchens on the performance. like the Xochimilco boats purveying the most enjoyable was a luncheon years on airplanes and ammunitions food to the pleasure boats and to the with seven Chinese women where for defence and where are those airpeople from the swimming clubs, of we talked frankly and as friends. planes and those ammunitions now?" which there are many. For the Chinese, both men and women, have altogether acceptable in some are doing in China to-day, one of taken to the water, together and in quarters I shall not name my the guests remarking that "before western sults, some of the clubs hostess, other than to say that she the war it was the Chinese women having as many as 500 members.

CHINESE QUARTERS

old-time dress. But for the most frank conversation. their trousers for long straight the first to come to maturity with brain as a man and we can do the dresses, slashed on both sides half unbound feet and of the place they same work." way to the knees.

the walls like the open-air markets to raise thousands of dollars for re- world.

BY MARJORIE SHULER

Staff Writer of The Christian Science Monitor

over on the mainland where the planes, everything to win the war. New Territories jut toward Canton. The women wanted to ask me a Even before the Japanese-Chinese Kum Tin, a walled city where pigs "rude" question they said. Would I conflict the city had become one of abildren and the middle tattern of mind? No. Well then, when American conflict the city had become one of abildren and the middle tattern of mind?

TALKS WITH WOMEN

kerchief striped in gaudy sport men. But in another sense the city has colours, the orchestra from one

presides over one of the great who sat about hotel lobbles and now Chinese houses of Hongkong, and I it is the Chinese men." They agreed shall further protect her by adding that they would not return to their

are taking in politics, of the "alley- As we walked out through the

posters. The letter writers do bust- of the relief associations. One of have been hearing during all of my ness along the pavement, as do the these, the Hongkong Chinese Wo- stay in Hongkong, "The women are dentists with their booths hung men's Soldiers Relief Association, China to-day," and I was glad that with long strings of the teeth they was started within the year by eight I had come all these thousands of presumably have pulled. The for- women and now has more than 2,000 miles if only to see them burst the tune tellers elbow the chiropodists, members each paying a Hongkong chrysalin of tradition and habit and Artists display their wares along dollar a month in dues, and helping come out and be a part of the

Chinese war orphans.

MENU SERVED

We flourished our chopsticks over a meal which was just a little snack, beginning with sharks' fins in combs, dishes made of gold dust, their lovelear road to southern China.

The 11-mile island with its ridge You can buy everything from ly imperial yellow sides carved by

force the wealthy to give their There is another bit of old China money and buy ammunition and air-

were a council all of us should be that this is not China. In a sense, In the city I have dired with against war. Wasn't that so." I would like to ask a "rude" ques-

WOMEN DESIRE LITTLE

Since what we said might not be We talked more of what women A few of the Chinese wear the that she did not contribute to the old secluded existence for anything in the world. In the words of one part the men have doffed their long. We talked of the tremendous pro- woman, "Why should we be pressed robes for trousers, and me women gress of this generation of women, down? We have the same kind of

A few blocks from the big tourist way education" in which they have garden, the Chinese women in their notels are typical Chinese quarters, volunteered to teach children, of flowered dresses like butterflies crowded streets lined with open their presence at the front as hovering over the great blue pots of shops and hung with masses of soldiers and first aid workers, and flowering zinnias I believed what I

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dental work. Froufrou, longing to make the trip, insists she, too, has a toothache.

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Chapter Two

MIDNIGHT ADVENTURE Madame Valiaire's carriage, reans. Froufrou lifted the shades and peered eagerly into the night. "We're somewhere!" she and nounced excitedly. "Look—there's a church."

Louise look—there's look—there's looked for you, you weren't there," He reached for the chain-pagne bottle, "Thirsty?"

Louise looked out the window. "Yes, that's the Chapel of Sainte Catherine." "The one you told me about?" cried Froufron. "Where everyone

goes to pray for a husband?"
Louise sent a timid glance toward Madame Vallaire, and noting the other's amused smile, ventured a low "yes."

ders, Froufrou, with Pick close behind, crept out of the room and

Once outside they ran to the church. It was deserted. They lit their father to his plantation in pre-Civil War Louisiana, Gilberte, colled Frontron by averyone, the completely a child in cloak to Pick.

Church. It was deserted. They lit their candles, offered their prayers, and in short order were back at the house. As they entered the gate, Frontron handed her shawl and cloak to Pick. cloak to Pick.

"Take those," she whispered. "I'm going to watch the party for a

Ausband who can dance, duel and buy her fine jewels. Frought frou and Louise go to a Jury Mosting with their father. Georges Eartaris, handsome young lawyer, to knifed by a prisoner. Hrigard insists that he recuperate at the plantation rather than go to his own home in New Orleans. Madame Vallaire, a neighbor, announces she to going to New Orleans for some dental work. Froufrou, longing

A handsome young man, very much the gay Now Orleans blade, came suddenly upon her. He stopped in surprise, his face very evidently indicating the fact that he could not place her.

"Where have you been hiding all evening?" he asked pleasantly and sat down in the chair next to hers. Fraufrou looked up in astonishment, then, smiling mischiavously, leaned forward to ask: "Have you

out who she was.

"I'm trying to remember your "Isn't that funny?" she laughed. "And I'm trying to remember

Ho was genuinely surprised, "Suppose you tell me yours, again." ·Instead of answering she mo-Pick, Froufrou's personni slave, tioned toward the room where the opened her eyes wide. "Ah hyeard guests were dancing. "If I tell



of dat Bto Cahterine," she said you—will you dance with me? Just breathlessly. "Day sin't nothin' she once — no — twice — around the cain't do, from healing what ails room?" you to gitting you a husband, Ah

aim to burn a candle to her mah-Froulrou eyed her severely. "Papa got to her feet umteadily, suddenly and I will find you a husband when feeling the champagne. He put his the time comes, Pick." "But it ain't a husband Ah the dance floor, wants," protested Pick. "It's do kinks took out of mah hair." They laughed with delight but Froutrou stopped short and cried: "The carriage has stopped-"

Madame Vallaire nodded, "We've arrived," she explained. The coachman opened the door. Pick jumped out and Madame Vallaire, Froufrou and Louise followed. From the windows of the great name?" house before them rang the sound of music and laughter. "Dey's still up," Pick shricked happily. "Jost listen!"

"Something's going on," Madame Vallaire?" Vallaire remarked drily. "It's a party!" oried Frontrou head to kiss her. ecstatically and she hurried shead | She turned in dismay. toward the half open gate. "We're go-Oh-I must gojust in time! Shall we go up and put on our party dresses or shall we go in the way we are:"

Suddenly a man ran through one of the long windows, a girl in his manded in astonishment. arms. The girl screamed prettily "You don't have to come with and released herself. He ran after me. I know my way to my room," her, caught her in his arms and she said quickly, and darted out kissed her. Madame Vallaire turned the window, onto the balcony, down to her coachman, her face livid the steps, across the garden and with rage and indignation. "Find someone to take care of called for Pick and her voice awoke

cm," she ordered. "And Monsieur Louise, Andre is not to be informed." Bhe pointed the way to the rear door, have you been?" "Mademoiselle Gilberte, you'll netther change your dress nor go in A sudden knocking at the door as you are. We start back early stopped her short. tomorrow morning." "Start back home?" Froufrou's outside her door was Andre's. cyas affind with tears, "Oh,

Madame!" "Gilbertel" warned Louise stern- "Frontrout" insisted Andre, ly, and with a strong hand, she pounding at the door, "lot me in, ushered her sister and Pick up the Eweet!" stairs. In their room, Frontrou and Pick theirs burst open. "What's all this whispered disconsolately, "If I hubbub?" demanded Madame Val-

sighed Froutrou. "We won't even git to ax Bie. Andre stared at her blankly. Catherine anything," muttered "Mamma, I was looking for you-Pick.

girl has any fun until she's mar head, ried. I must burn a candle to Sainte your tather's plantation tomorrow," Catherine." Plok gazed at her with pleasant ing the door with a sudden bang. elerm. "Tonight?" she asked she pulled her son into her own "Now?" for a sound lecture.

Vallaire couldn't find fault with us Brutus. for going to church." She tip-tood to the other side of the room to make certain that Louise was noundly asleep. Then, in pantomime, she ordered Pick to open her value and pick out her living in France, all growed up."

Expect frock.

Andre smiled. "We're leaving."

Hardly daring to breaths, they framed by the light of a single

"You want to dance? Splendid!" "But just for a moment," she warned. "Then I must go-" she arm about her and ushered her to "You haven't told me your name," he said

"Froutroil" "Froufrou? That's not a name-" "It's my name." "And is it the only one I'm to know?"

"Yes-can you remember it?" "I can never forget it." "Now," she smiled. "What's your "Well-I'm the man who's giving the party."

She stared at him incredulously. "You're Monsieur Vallaire? Andre "Right!" he laughed and bent his

"Where?" he asked. "Upstairs-to bed-" She reoled alightly. "What do you mean?" he deinto the house. In her room, she

"Gilbertel" oried Louise, "where "To church-oh, what fun!"

"Froutroul" the voice calling from "Oh," cried Louise, "this is disgraceful."

The door of the room next to could just go down and look in," lairs. "Andre! What are you doing here?"

"Oh but I want a husband," whis- "Madame Valleire opened the door pered Frontrou desperately, "No of the girls room and stuck in her We leave New Orleans for abe announced severely, then, clos-Frontrod stared back with dano . And Andre, returning aventually ing eyes. "Why not? Even Madame to his room, awakened his servant

Who are those young ladies with of dress to church, is you, Missy?" We've going to visit my mother's Pick was plainly scandalised." planistion."

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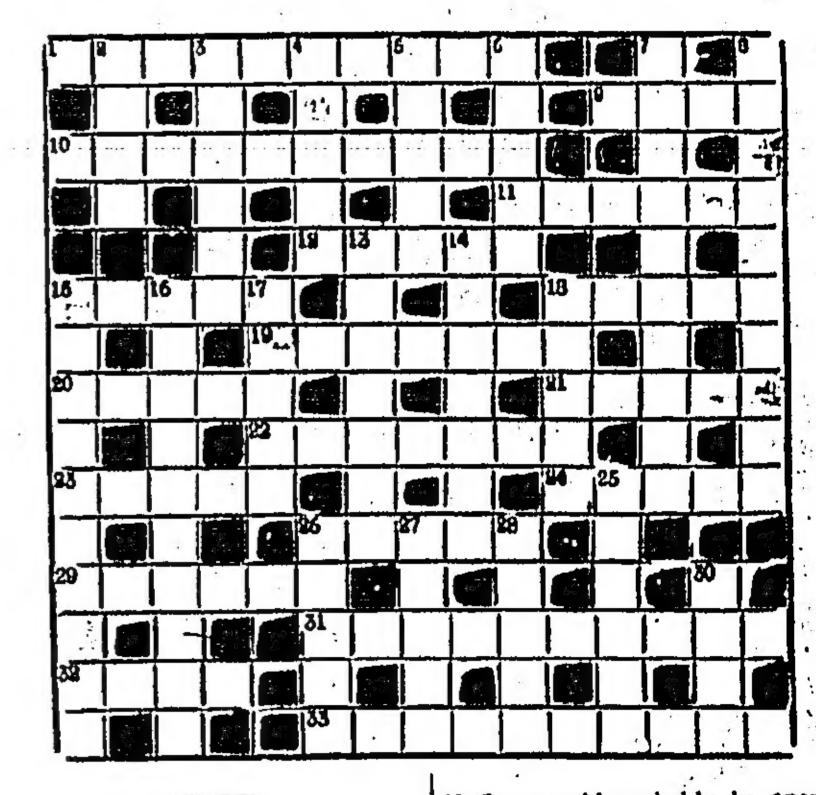
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9 This goes out to sea and is mostly edible (4). 10 No gentleman, to give such tentuble advice (10). 11 Half this river was a tribe liv-

ing near it (6). 12 A bit of a rotten nuisance (5). 15 Most of this mixture is put in its proper place (5). 18 French town (5).

19 Taking it casy in the matter of having been nettled? (7). 20 The first person as subject (5). 21 A final letter (5).

22 Indict (7). 23 This nily is not to the front (5). 24 Give (5). 26 Most people are prone to go to this (5).

20 Ma dled to make it (6). 31 The sun as it changes to a keen one (10). 32 Even ships don't have it (4).

33 Obsolete protection for warships (two words-7, 3). DOWN 2 Flighty, confession from un

Eastern country (4). 3 Cut out mostly as a bird (6). 4 Shake out of 28 across perhaps

5 Part of liself indeed (5). 6 A femous erleketer is indiented 7 is this sheet of water often

ruffled by its head? (10). If nt cricket (two words 0, b) 13 One would probably be openmouthed at having this and its fellow closed (7). 14 Employ (7).

15 The last two letters of this game implement may help to win the first six (10)... 16 In time even to start with (10). 17 More than the back is cheerless

18 It is hurtful but will vanish in any surrounding (5). 25 One of the blues (0).

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There was no panie in the city, and the soldlers are not retreating. At 3 Selock in the afternoon the nine heavy bombers returned to make a terrific bombardment on the arrived on board the British steamer railway terminus. They flew very Teiresias, at Haifa.—Reuter. takable. They started another two fires, in addition to the one caused during the morning, and which was still burning. The three fires con-tinued to belch white and black smoke, and occasionally 80-foot flomes were seen.

Only one bomber was left at 3.20, immigration to Palestine, or the but four more joined it in the same relegation of Jews in Palestine to area. It was notable that apart the status of a minority.

I tom one or two alarms early in the The resolution also welcomed the part the restriction of the part the part the restriction of the part the restriction of the part the part the restriction of the part the restriction of the part the restriction of the part the part the restriction of the part the p morning, none was sounded after- decision of the British authorities to wards in the city, which apparently employ effective measures to suppress considered liself in a continued state terrorism in Palestine, "in the second ballot for Guadeloupe is not of air alarm.

Indicating the complete lack of panie among . Hankow's . foreign population, United Press correspondent visited the Hankow Race Club near the airfield at 3 o'clock to find a soccer match between British

gunboat teams in progress. They refused to stop the game white bombs were falling a mile and a half away across the river, which rattled the clubhouse windows.

As usual on a Sunday afternoon, a handful of members were present with Palestine, and the right, inter- following the bulletin of last at the club flipping boredly through nationally guaranteed to the Jewish magazines, while others were out people as embodied in the Palestine night, which stated that the riding and playing golf, and not even mandate which Britain accepted as a acute symptoms of Kemal taking cover from the raids, owing to sacred trust, the almost complete absence of antiaircraft fire since the middle of the desperate need of the masses of marning.

and other foreigners busied them- manent home makes such a settleselves moving from the outlying n ent imperative.-Renter. of the Consulate and shipping firms were working.-United Press.

WUCHANG AFIRE

Hankow, Oct. 24. A large fire-had flared up in the northern-central part of Wuchang proper, at least three miles from the spot where the last bombs fell yes. terday afternoon.-United Press.

BADLY BOMBED

Hauchlapang railway station and advance.—Central News. ed considerable damages as at least 200 bombs were rained there by the raiders. Four missiles fell at Wangchiatun.

were also severely bombed by the east of the Canton-Hankow rallway, invading machines. The detonation and 35 miles south of Wuchang, of bombs were clearly audible in the where the Chinese defences are still

One of the raiding planes flew low ese column. over Hankow and dropped a number of preposterous handbills.

-- Central News.

NO CHANGE MADE

Hankow, Oct. 24. American and British naval spokesmen told the United Press yesterday that there would be no Japanese forces were 37 miles by change made in the plans for their direct air line from Hankow yester-gunboats in response to the Japanese day afternoon as Sinchow, at the request for them to move 10 miles highway junction north of Changtu the waters of the Pacific was sighted up-river, "to avoid mutually regret- Lake fell.

Japanese forces were 37 miles by direct air line from Hankow yester-day afternoon as Sinchow, at the armada of ships ever to appear in the waters of the Pacific was sighted off Shekko Beach. Hongkong, this table incidents."

According to present plans the According to Japanese press reU.S.S. Guam is down-river at the ports, Sinchow was occupied at 5 informed that 150 ships were counted b.m., after the fall of Linshanho at 2 p.m., and thus the spearhead of the Socony and Texaco installations. Japanese attack is 31 miles from The U.S.S. Luzon and the British Japanese attack is 31 miles from The vessels, mostly of the trawter gunboats lie off the S.A.D., Three Hwangpel on the Machang-Hankow type, were proceeding towards the Bund with other foreign thipping highway. lying close alongshore,-United Press.

ADVANCE CHECKED

Hankow, Oct. 24. Japanese advances south and resistance yesterday.

troops. Fighting now continues to chinotow Island, rage with increasing ferocity. Warships and

To the north of Ocheng across the bombarded the Bocca Tigris and Yangtze on the north bank, reventy- | Chuanplehino forts,-Reuter,

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DEATH THREAT TO ARABS WHO REGISTER NAMES

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before much damage was done. The First Royal Dragoons have

JEWISH OPPOSITION

London, Oct. 23. At a meeting in London to-day of the Jewish Board of Deputies, representing Jews in the British Empire, a resolution was passed opposing the restriction of Jewish

interests of Jews and Arabs allke". yet known.-Reuter.

The resolution expressed the con-viction that the restoration ordered by the Government would pave the way for a more enduring co-operation between Jews and Arabs in the development of prosperity in the country.

The resolution added that the Board was convinced that a permonent settlement of the Palestine problem must be based on the his-

The resolution concluded that the pletely disappeared .- Reuter. Jewish people who were the victims The churches as usual were open, of hate and persecution, for a per-

> five kilometres east of Hankow, the group of 300 Japanese who secured been able to extend their holdings.

Chinese forces at Huangkang Chinese forces at Paho, thirty to their daughter, who married Crown

areas in Hankow suffered the most as a result of the mass air raids conducted by over 60 Japanese bombers in different groups yesterday.

In southeast Honan, the Japanese last January, has moved to Ras El Tin Palace, where a happy event is expected within a week or two.—
Hupch border. Crack Chinese units are being rushed to star the last lanuary.

JAPANESE CLAIMS

Hunkow, Oct. 24. Very reliable, but unofficial Chinese cources declare that communications The outskirts of the Wuhan cities are still intact with Chinniu, 15 miles holding up the most advanced Japan-

The Yangise situation is obscure, but at noon yesterday no Japanese Throughout the day, Japanese | warships had reached Twanfeng on secuting planes zoomed overhead the left bank of the river 35 miles conducting extensive reconnuissance. from Hankow, or Kotlen, on the right bank of the river, 25 miles below Hankow,-United Press.

37 MILES FROM HANKOW Shanghal, Oct. 24.

It is unofficially reported that

A Jupanese naval spokesman de- It is presumed that they are supply clared that navy units had passed ships proceeding from Blas Bay to tical miles from Hankow.

An Army spokesman said that Army at Canton. north of the Yangtze River on a Japanese forces last night advanced The fact that the ships have left

fiercest at points southeast of quarters in Tokyo, are continuing to Ocheng, where the Japanese landed bress westward in an area south of on October 23. The first Japanese Lungmoon, while transports, carrying landing was successfully repulsed army units, steamed up the Pearl after which the enemy landed more River, and the troops landed at Tai-

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It is not expected that the results of the third ballot, which are due Inter to-night, will make much difference to the position.

The state of the parties after the second ballot was as follows: Republicans 16, Left Republicans 10, Independent Radicals 11, Socialist The resolution also welcomed the Union, three, Socialists, four.

A third ballot is necessary for 17 constituencies. The result of the

Ataturk Fools His Doctors

ANKARA, Oct. 23. It is announced that no furtoric connection of the Jewish people ther bulletins, will be issued Ataturk's illness have now com-

ROYAL BIRTHS IMMINENT -

London, Oct. 23. Royal births in direct succession to a foothold at Huangkang have not the throne are imminent in two

Near-Eastern kingdoms. The parents of Princess Frederika. offered stout resistance to the enemy the 21 year, old Crown Princess of landing party. The Japanese at Greece, arrived at Athens to-day in Huangkang were further menuced by anticipation of the birth of a child

kilometres east of Hsishui, where the Prince Paul of Greece last January. defenders are holding out their in Egypt, the 17 year-old Queen Farida, who married King Farouk

150 SHIPS OFF H.K.

morning.

Canton River della.

Twanfeng, and were not only 40 nau- the Pearl River with the object of taking supplies direct to the Japanese

north of the Yangize River on a to a point 15 miles north-east of their base in Bias Bay indicates that defence of Wuhan were effectively Tungshan, near Tsukoushih, which is the Japanese warships have now checked by stubborn Chinese 31 miles from the Canton-Hankow cleared the boom from across the Pearl River, and that reports that Bloody fighting. with large South China detachments, accordBocca Tigris forts have; been casualties on both sides, raged ing to a communique from headevacuated are correct.

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Rallies Kwangtung

testo issued by General Wu -Tehchen, Chairman of the Kwangtung bitter end. Provincial Government, yesterday. the province to do their best to help has been removed to an undisclosed—the Government in the resistance, place in accordance with instructions especially in eliminating traitors and from the National Government and

The annual exhibition of the Hong-

ART EXHIBITION

kong 'Art Club' will be held hat St: John's Cathedral Hall on Tuesday, November 8, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. and on Wednesday, November 9 An Undisclosed Place, Oct. 23. from 10 am. to 7 p.m. Well-known An appeal to the people of local artists will exhibit their work, Kwangtung to help the Government to continue resistance to the Japanese invaders was contained in a mani-

General Wull revealed that the General Wu asked all people of Kwangiung Provincial Government

especially in eliminating traitors and undertaking war-time service.

Those who have guns should immediately join the self-defence corps and those who have no guns should join the army. The rich should contribute their money," he urged.

Reminding them of Japanese atrocities in North and Central China, and the hatred the Japanese have particularly for them, General Wu stated that all people of Kwangtung should swear to fight them to the thoroughly discussed.—Central News.

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Six Japanese Bombers' Attack on H.M.S. Sandpiper

SPLINTERS DAMAGE SUPERSTRUCTURE, FORWARD DECK

Yangtse River Incident May Have Repercussions

CIX HEAVY TYPE JAPANESE BOMBERS CARRIED OUT AN ATTACK ON H.M.S. SANDPIPER SHORTLY AFTER DAWN THIS MORNING.

THE SUPERSTRUCTURE AND FORWARD DECK OF THE WAR-SHIP WERE STRUCK BY SPLINTERS FROM THE BOMBS, WHICH AP-PARENTLY FELL ALL AROUND THE SHIP BUT REGISTERED NO DIRECT HIT.

IT IS PRESUMED, ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO OFFICIAL MEN-TION IN THE REPORT, THAT THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS ABOARD THE SANDPIPER WOULD BE BROUGHT INTO ACTION IN DEFENCE OF THE VESSEL.

THE ATTACK WAS MADE IN THE SIANGKIANG RIVER NEAR CHANGSHA, CAPITAL OF HUNAN PROVINCE.

A "United Press" message states that the British naval authorities in Shanghai stated that "H.M.S. Sandpiper was apparently deliberately attacked by the Japanese planes."

The Shanghai report states that several cabins and the superstructures were superficially damaged by six bombs.

Questioned regarding the "United Press" report, the naval authorities in Hongkong state that in the absence of detailed accounts of the incident, it cannot be said here whether the attack was deliberate or unintentional.

Like all other British warships in the Far East, the British ensign was prominently painted on the superstructure and awning of the Sandpiper, and it seems hardly likely that it could not have been observed that the ship was British.

H.M.S. Sandpiper is a gunboat of 185 tons. She was commissioned at Shanghai five years ago and was then attached to the Yangtse Patrol.

150 SHIPS IN ARMADA OFF H.K.

armada of ships ever to appear in off Shekko Beach, Hongkong, this morning.

in the convoy, which was escorted by destroyers.

type, were proceeding towards the Canton River delta.

It is presumed that they are supply ships proceeding from Blas Bay to on the Canton-Hankow Railway. the Pearl River with the object of

The fact that the ships have left their base in Blas Bay indicates that cleared the boom from scrops the Pearl River, and that reports that evacuated are correct.

Her armaments consist of one 3.7 inch gun and a six-pounder.

According to the last available Naval List the ship area, will, of course, be subject to is under the command of Lt. Cmdr. W. E. J. James, who the approval of the Japanese. was appointed on August 27, 1936.

The other officer aboard the ship is Lt. H. R. Rycroft, day requesting foreigners in the out-What is probably the greatest who was appointed in March last year. It is officially announced that there were no casualties

the waters of the Pacific was sighted among the complement of the gunboat.

It appears almost certain that international The Hankow Safety Zone Com-The "Telegraph" is authoritatively repercussions will be the outcome of the incident.

informed that 150 ships were counted JAPANESE CONSUL TOLD

Mr. Nakamura, Consul General for Japan in Hongkong, was The vessels, mostly of the trawler informed of the incident by the Telegraph.

"I have had no report yet," he told Telegraph.

Changsha is a Treaty port about 200 miles south of Hankow

It is on the west bank of the Slangkiang River, which completion of its preparations." taking supplies direct to the Japanese drains into Tung Ting Lake and thence into the Yangtse at

The Sandpiper was in the Slangklang River at a point about cludes from the Russian and Ger- Davis, Secretaries of the Hongkong noon the total number had swollen Booca Tigris at 10, Am. Yesterday. the Japanese warships have now 100 miles south of the Yangtse.

miles south of the Yangise.

man Concessions to a strip of land Jockey Club, by the Police early this between them and the ruliway, and morning, requesting that payment of Solicitors are now endeavouring tions were reduced and occupied at the Delta he stopped. These repre- to unravel the satis- 4 p.m. Becca Tigris, forte have been most incessantly in this area during the past week.



Japanese Detain Dollar Liner

BIG SILVER SHIPMENT ABOARD

SHANGHAI, Oct. 24.

THE JAPANESE authorities here have detained the Dollar liner President Coolidge, which is making its. first call at Shanghai since the bombing of the President Hoover last year.

HANKOW SAFETY ZONE IS FIXED

Hankow, Oct. 24.

Father Jacquinot, famed for his relief work during the battle for Shanghal, stated yesterday that the matter of a refugee zone in Hankow had been definitely settled.

The area embraces the administrative districts One, Two and Three and also a Chinese area as far as the milway line.

He said the former area had been fully agreed upon, but the Chinese

The Foreign Residents' Association lying districts to move into the administrative districts.—Reuter.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUE Hankow, Oct. 24.

mittee, whose headquarters are at the Kincheng Bank, issued a communique this morning which stated: "The Hankow refugee zone for which the Hankow and Shanghat committees have been working for some time is now recognised. The area is in accordance with the ori- holders in the syndicate which won consulted a Solicitor, while a large shek among them.—Reuter. ginal minimum requirements of the the big \$88,800 Cash Sweep prize at number of persons alleging they Hankow Committee. The Com- the Races on Saturday stormed the have shares in the ticket have also mittee is now going on with the

ed as to the extent of the minimum winning ticket. requirements said: 'The area in-Concession."-United Press.

The President Coolidge is Saturday. carrying National City Bank Japanese warships went up Pearl and Chase Bank silver shipments River. At the mouth of the river, from Shanghai to the United several ships are sunk and a num- fires. States.

tion of Coolidge. Japanese customs officials have refused clearance papers.

to clear the port this morning. The silver shipment is mostly the communique claims. jewelry and table-ware which Chinese

Coolidge with a cargo of silver es- pressing inland. timated to be worth \$4,500,000.-United Press.

NEGOTIATIONS IN PROGRESS

Shanghul, Oct. 24. The departure of the President Coolidge to America, scheduled for this morning, was delayed by the refusal of the Japanese-controlled customs to issue a permit for the shipment of 100 cases of silver loaded the Chinese National Government. ebcard the liner.

Consul-General, and Mr. Hidaka are fore semi-owned by the American side." now negotiating the matter.

downstream from Canton, was their adventurous undertaking. captured by Japanese troops on Sunday evening, according to an official Japanese communique issued this afternoon.

Beeca" Tigris," and the Chinese positions in its neighbourhood, were under heavy bombing by the Japanese naval air forces throughout

in the teeth of heavy gun fire,

The Chinese troops retreating in a Japanese navy aircrafts. No less The vessel was originally scheduled than 170 Chinese tanks and armoured motor-cars were hit and wrecked,

Chinese war chest.

A United States Marine escort fully effected landing at the mouth party has gone abourd the President of the river. The landing forces are

Japanese warships moved to Pearl River in the morning, and engaged in bombardment on the Chinese forces on the west bank of the river to cover the landing operation of the

recently taken over by the American .Mr. John Gauss, the American Maritime Commission, and is there-Government, has announced that the

Amah Winners of \$88,800 Race Sweep In Dispute

Yaumati Police Station this morning. | taken legal advice.

They had been asked to go there | The holder of the ticket states, it is to register their names, following a filleged, that only fifty-five persons A Committee spokesman, question- dispute with the amah holding the have shares in the winning ticket.

It is alleged that representations had registered at the Yaumati Police Three (former British) and French sentations, it is stated, have now been faction of all concerned.

ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY The "Telegraph" understands that Chinese leaders," and refused to say AMAHS who sliege they are share- the holder of the winning ticket has whether he included Chiang, Kai-

. At 10 o'clock this morning, 120

(See Earlier Story on Page 2.)

Refugees Report Machine-Gunned

from fire-ridden Canton, through

the bandit-infested delta and

under withering machine-gun,

fire from Japanese aeroplanes,

was completed to-day by Mr. P.

C. Frost of the Asiatic Petro-

leum Company, and Mr. J.

Linaker, sworn measurer, both

equally well known in Hongkong

Asked why they made the trip

From the narrative of the two

mea, the reports of the Canton fire

The great city is literally ablaze at

The looting is a grievious thing to

see and nothing can be done about it,

they explained, the few Japanese in

the city being engaged in fighting the

SHOPS BROKEN INTO

LATE NEWS

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JAPAN'S

TERMS FOR

PEACE

Asked at this morning's press con-

ference whether there were any indi-

cattons that China wanted peace, a

spokesman of the Foreign Office re-

plied: "Mr. Wang Ching-wei is re-

ported to have told Reuter that

China is ready to enter peace

negotiations with Japan, but we, of

course, have not been directly in-

Questioned whether Japan would

be ready to talk peace if China was

Tokyo, Oct. 24.

At night the shops are broken

scores of points, Chinese being

are no exaggeration;

and Canton.

A LMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY with the bombing of the British gunboat Sandpiper near Changsha two British subjects who arrived in Hongkong from Canton this morning reported that their car and launch, conspicuously covered by British flags, were the subjects of deliberate attacks from Japanese planes.

First British

The two men are the first to arrive in Hongkong since the Japanese capture of Canton and the subsequent burning and looting of the city. A HAZARDOUS JOURNEY

JAPANESE CLAIM FORTS OCCUPIED

Bocca Tigris In Hands Of Landing Parties

The Bocca Tigris forts, the first important Chinese fortress on the eastern bank of the tress of th To-day they had tiffin at the Hongkong Club and made light of Pearl River about 30 miles instead of staying in Shameen, they said they had work to do.

ber of mines are laid to block the river, but sweeping operations It is reported that the United States clear the obstruction are now in open, especially in the wealthy area, Consulate is investigating the deten- progress. (Continued on Page 5.) north-easterly direction from Canton were subjected to heavy bombing by

The Japanese naval and army patriots have contributed to the forces started movements on Satur-

The Japanese forces which turned northward from Walchow and pressed (Continued on Page 5.)

The President Coolidge which was formed of this from the Chinese It is presumed that the Japanese departure has been postponed until contend that the silver is owned by to-morrow morning.—Reuter.

propared, the spokesman replied: "If and when the actual Chinese leaders become aware of the uselessness and futility of their anti-Japanese policy, and also realise that peace, safety and prosperity for China lies in cooperation with Japan, then the time will come when Japan will enter into

peace negotiations with China. The spokesman was non-commital when asked to define the "actual whether he included Chiang, Kai-

Official Japanese communique

(Further Late News on

TERRIBLE HAVOC IN HANKOW

Continuous Raids By Japanese Planes

HANKOW, Oct. 24. OW-FLYING SQUADRONS of Japanese planes bombed the Wuchang foreshore soon after 6 o'clock yesterday morning. They were met by heavy anti-aircraft

A single scouting machine flew low over Hankow for two hours, and intermittently straffed the outskirts of the city. Later in the morning nine heavy bombers attacked the terminus of the Canton-Hankow the soldiers are not retreating.

At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the nine heavy bombers returned to make a terrific bombardment on the railway terminus. They flew very high, but their accuracy was unmistakable. They started another two fires, in addition to the one caused of Kowloon amahs who won divides the morning and which was flames were seen.

Only one bomber was left at 3.20, area. It was notable that apart them. from one or two nlarms early in the morning, none was sounded afterwards in the city, which apparently considered itself in a continued state

panie among Hankow's foreign population. United Press correspondent visited the Hankow Race Club near the airfield at 3 o'clock to WOIL. find a soccer match between British gunboat teams in progress.

They refused to stop the game while bombs were falling a mile and a half away across the river, which rattled the clubhouse windows.

As usual on a Sunday afternoon, a handful of members were present at the club flipping boredly through magazines, while others were out riding and playing golf, and not even taking cover from the raids, owing to the almost complete absence of antinircraft fire since the middle of the

morning. The churches as usual were open, and other foreigners busied themselves moving from the outlying areas, or in laying up supplies. Some of the Consulate and shipping firms were .working .- United Press.

WUCHANG AFIRE

A large fire had flared up in the northern-central part of Wuchang is ran om. proper, at least three miles from the spot where the last bombs fell yesterday afternoon.—United Press.

BADLY BOMBED

Hankow, Oct. 24.

Hankow, Oct. 24. The Lluchiamiao and Kusoussu areas in Hankow suffered the most as a result of the mass air raids conducted by over 60 Japanese bombers in different groups yesterday.

Hauchiapang railway station and its vicinity in Wuchang also sustained considerable damages as at least selected to represent the Hongkong 200 bombs were rained there by the Hockey Club on Wednesday and considerable comment in the Italian raiders. Four missiles fell at Wang- Friday next.

invading machines. The detonation shirts.

of preposterous handbills, Throughout the day, Japanese scouting planes zoomed overhead -Central News.

NO CHANGE MADE

Hankow, Oct. 24. American and British naval G. E. R. Divett (Capt), K. A. Bidmead spokesmen told the United Press yesterday that there would be no change made in the plans for their

According to present plans the where the Chinese defences are still U.S.S. Guam is down-river at the holding up the most advanced Japanseven-mile creek adjacent to the ese column. Socony and Texaco installations. The Yangise situation is obscure, The U.S.S. Luzon, and the British but at noon yesterday no Japanese gunboats lie off the S.A.D., Three warships had reached Twanfeng on

Hankow, Oct. 24. Japanese' advances south and north of the Yangtze River on a number of points forming the outer defence of Wuhan were effectively by stubborn Chinese checked

resistance yesterday. Bloody ಪ್ರದೇಶ, casualties on both floreest at points southeast of Lake fell. Ocheng, where the Japanese landed on October 23. The first Japanese landing was successfully repulsed

Yangize on the north bank, seventylive kilometres east of Hankow, the A Japanese naval spokesman de-Huangkang were further menaced by Tungshan, near Tsukoushih, which is All of the occupants were hurt, but Chinese forces at Paho, thirty 31 miles from the Canton-Hankow none seriously, and later the truck kilometres east of Halshul, where the Indiwny.

advance.—Central News.

/ JAPANESE CLADES Hankow, Oct. 24.

Amahs Win \$88,000 Sweep

SYNDICATE 'AGAIN WINS BIG PRIZE

railway, and started four large fires, apparently igniting oil and gas.

There was no panic in the city, and

Fortune plays the most freakish tricks sometimes

during the morning, and which was the big Derby sweep at the still burning. The three fires continued to belch white and black last annual race meeting of smoke, and occasionally 80-foot the Hongkong Jockey Club? On that occasion, they split but four more joined it in the same up a sum of \$145,000 among

had been drawn by Ticket No. Indicating the complete tack of at the head of the field on Saturthe syndicate of amahs again

Their prize on this occasion is

199 amahs got together and bought a total of 55 tickets, one of which drew Salvage Master.

CAPTURED BY BANDITS

The majority of the amahs who made small fortunes on the 1938 Durby did not keep their money for long, however.

They retired on their winnings and went back to live in the country. It was not long before bandits got wind British trade with Chinn'm general, of the offair, and one night they for even if there is no military attack swooped down on Shuntak-the on the British colony by the Japanese, village in which most of the fortunate it is to be feared that severe damage women lived-and took the whole lot into custody.

A major portion of the winnings hassed into the hands of the bandits

LOCAL HOCKEY Club Teams For The Week

The following teams have been

1st XI Versus the Y.M.C.A. on the Stampa. The outskirts of the Wuhan cities Club ground at 5.15 p.m. Wednesday The former describes it as a deci-were also severely bombed by the October 26. Club Team wear white sive, perhaps a mortal blow to the

Reed; H. J. D. Lowe, W. A. Reed, ports of fresh attempts at mediation One of the raiding planes flew low N. B. Whitley; S. A. Fowler, T. D. on the part of the British and French over Hankow and dropped a number | Whitley, G. E. R. Divett (Capt). B. I. governments. The paper adds that Bickford and V. Bond. Umpire-Mr. G. T. Palmer.

conducting extensive recommissance, the Club ground at 5.15 p.m. Friday, political reaction which the active October 28: Potter; W. A. Reed, H. J. D. Lowe, British India. L. F. Stokes; W. Brown, W. Spencer,

gunbonts in response to the Japanese sources declare that communications request for them to move 10 miles are still intact with Chinniu, 15 miles up-river, "to avoid mutually regret- east of the Canton-Hankow railway, and 35 miles south of Wuchang, and 35 miles south of Wuchang, the British policy under Mr. Stanley

and I. P. Tamworth.

Bund with other foreign shipping the left bank of the river 35 miles lying close alongshore.—United Press. from Hankow, or Kotien, on the right bank of the river, 25 miles below Hankow .- United Press.

37 MILES FROM HANKOW

Shanghai, Oct. 24.
It is unofficially reported that Japanese forces were 37 miles by direct air line from Hankow yesterlarge day afternoon as Sinchow, at the raged highway junction north of Changtu

According to Japanese press reports, Sinchow was occupied at 5 after which the enemy landed more 2 p.m., and thus the spearhead of the truck going from Hankow to Tsao-Japanese attack is 31 miles from shih early yesterday morning, heavily

group of 300 Japanese who secured clared that navy units had passed a foothold at Huangkang have not been able to extend their holdings, nautical miles from Hankow. offered stout resistance to the enemy Japanese forces last night advanced to a point 15 miles north-east of

defenders are holding out their. South China detachments, accord- its journey. ling to a communique from head-In southeast Honan, the Japanese Quarters in Tokyo, are continuing to It is reported that the accident was admittedly have made rapid progress press westward in an area south of due to the enormous crowds evacuatin their drive southward towards the Lungmoon, while transports, carrying ing along the narrow Embankment army units, steamed up the Pearl Road. There is a steep drop on River, and the troops landed at Tal- either side, and it is said that the

chinotow Island. Very reliable, but imofficial Chinese Chumpichiae forts.....Reuter.



PHOTOGRAPH SHOWS A BRITISH GUNBOAT lying off Shameen, in the Pearl River. Honam Island, which is flercely ablaze, is across the river. The British authorities have refused to accede to a demand that British gunboats should be removed from Canton up the Pearl River.

Colony's Future After The Fall of Canton

LONDON, Oct. 23.

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Docks Etc.

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Kailan Mining Adm., s/- 16/9 n.

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Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$124 n.

Hongkong Mines, 714 cts. n.

Benguet Consol., P. 11.80 sa.

Consolidated Mines, P. .003 sa.

H.K. Bank (Lon. Reg.), \$83 n.

Chartered Bank, £9% n.

Mercantile Bank, £13 n.

East Asia Bank, \$88 n.

Canton Ins., \$225 n.

H.Kfl Fire Ins., \$220 n.

H.K. Steamboats, \$19 n.

Shell Bearer, 8/- 88/11/2

Union Waterboats, \$9 b.

H.K. Docks (old), \$19 n.

Providents (old), \$6 %.

Providents (new), \$6 b.

Venz: Goldfield, \$3 n.

Antamok, P. .41% sa.

Benguet Explor., — Coco Grove, P. 45 ka.

Demonstrations, P. -

Min. Resources, P. -

Salacot Mining, P. -

San Mauriclo, P. .91 sa.

Suyoc Consol., P. .19 sa.

H. and S. Hotels, \$6.70 b.

H.K. Lands, \$30% b. 37 sa.

Shanghai Lands, Sh. \$7.60 n.

Metropolitan Lands, Sh. -

H.K. Tramways, \$16.55 b.

China Light (new), \$10 b.

H.K. Electric, \$581/4 b.

Mação Electric, \$171/2 n.

Sundakan Lights, \$10 n.

Telephone (old), \$241/2 b.

Telephone (new), \$8.70 n. China Blises, Sh. —

Singapore Pref., s/- 20/3 n.

Singapore Tractions, s/c 25/- n.

ndustrial

Cold: Macg. (ord.), Sh. \$14 n.

Cald: Mack. (Pref.), Sh. \$13 n.

Stores, &c.

William Powell, Ltd., 90 cts. n.

Cotton Mills

S'hal Cotton (old), Sh. \$97 n.

Miscellansous

Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$42 n.

H.K. Entertainments, \$61/4 n.

Ch. Govt, 5% 1925 G\$ Bonds.,

H.K. Govt. 34% Loan par b.

Marsmans (Lon.), s/- 15/0 n.

Marsmans (H.K.), 5/- 3/4 n.

H.K. Govt, 4% Loan 6% prm, b.

Cements, \$16.30 b. \$16.40 an.

Canton Ices, \$1.70 n.

H.K. Ropes, \$4.65 n.

Dairy Farms, \$25 s.

Sinceres, \$2 n.

70% n.

70% n.

Lane Crawfords, \$814 n.

Wing On (H.K.), \$47½ n.

Ewo Cotton, Sh. \$16% n.

Zoong Sings, Sh. \$24 n.

Constructions, \$1% n.

Vibro Piling, \$6.85 n.

Wallace Harvers, -

Peak Trams (old), \$634 b.

Peak Trams (new), \$31/4 n.

Yaumati Ferries (old), \$23 b.

Yeumati Ferries, (new), \$221/4 n. China Light (old) \$10.60 b.

Humphrles, \$9.60 n.

H.K. Realities, \$51/2 n.

Star Ferries, \$741/2 n.

Chinese Estates, \$98 n.

Paraenle Gumaus, P. .14 sa.

United Paracales, P. .371/2 sa

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H.K. Lands, 4% Debon \$107% n.

Pubiic Utilities

Gumaus G'fields, P. ..

E. Mindanao, P. -

Ipo Gold, P. -

1.X.L., P. .64 sa.

Itogons, P. —

Big Wedge, P. --

Baguio Gold, P. -

Raubs, \$9.70 n.

Atoks, P. -

Providents (old), \$634 b.

Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$60 n.

Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$24 n.

China Underwriters, \$2 n.

Union Ins., \$500 n.

Douglas, \$66 n.

H.K. Bank, \$1,385 b.

When Salvage Master, which THE UNEXPECTEDLY rapid fall of Canton gives rise in England to certain suspicions, which are voiced in the Sunday 175238, crossed the finishing line Tinics. The paper remarks that the small number of Japanese troops, combined with the total absence of resistance on the day in the Kwangtung Handicap, part of the Chinese might justify the surmise that one or other Connese general would eventually be indicted for high treason.

The consequences of the capture! of Canton, according to the paper, Many members of the present were equally serious for China, who syndicate also had a share in the last thereby loses her remaining port, and for Great Britain. Hongkong, which | In this case, it is understood that has advesdy suffered much from the hostilities, and which is filled to overflowing with refugees, now finds itself cut off from all communications with the interior of China.

> The Sunday Times goes on to observe that even more important that the question of the future of Hongkong, is that of the future of must be reckoned with for British commercial interests.

In this connection the paper recalls that influential circles in Japan have not concented their desire to destroy British trade in the Far East.

The paper reproaches Mr. Ramsay MacDonald's Government with having interrupted construction of the naval base in Singapore in 1929, with the result that Japan had been enabled to out-distance the British fleet .- Trans-Occan.

ITALIAN COMMENT

Rome, Oct. 23. The occupation of Canton evokes press, notably the Voce d'Italia and

Chinese defence, and declares that It of bombs were clearly audible in the V. M. Benwell; L. F. Stokes, E. V. would not be surprised to hear rethere are circles in London where economic catastrophe for Hongkong "A" XI Versus the H.K.S.R.A. on is feared, and dwells also on the Japanese policy in South China may H. F. Shields; W. Schnabel, J. E. have on French Indo-China and

> The Stampa declares that the occupation of Canton, and the certain early conquest of Hankow, places the word finis to the Sino-Japanese war. The paper says that Chiang Kal-shek goes to swell the group of Tafari, Benes and their comrades, and blames Baldwin for the Chinese collapse beenuse they were encouraged to hope for support that could not be given. -Reuter.

Missionaries Near Death

Truck Overturns In Hankow Exodus

Hankow, Oct. 24. Hwangpel on the Machang-Hankow laden with gasolene and hospital supplies, and carrying as passengers who is shortly expecting a child, turned a complete somersault eleven miles from Hankow.

was righted and it proceeded on

truck passed numerous 100 yard-long Warshins and naval planes rickshin caravans, each controlled by bombarded the Bocca Tigris and three policemen, who were evacuting with the refugeen-United Press.

Japanese New Threat To Hankow

Important Advances Are Claimed

Sintlen, Oct. 24. Finally breaking through the Honan-Hupeh border, the Japanese forces advancing through the Tapleh Mountain Range on Sunday evening were rapidly converging on Macheng, strategically important town about 60 The following is the list of local miles northest of Hankow in eastern share quotations issued this morning. Hupch.

> The advance column on Sunday afternoon reached Sanhokow, 5 miles northeast of Macheng. With their natural strongholds in the mountain range having collapsed, the Chinese forces are in full retreat along the highways to Macheng,

Hankow is also threatened at its NO backdoor as the Japanese forces advancing southward along the Peking-Hankow Rallway from Sinyang, also pencirated the Honan-Hupch border from the sector west of Pingtsingkwan, about 90 miles north of Hankow, on Friday last.—Domei

CHINESE DEMOLISH JAPANESE TRUCKS

Nanchang, Oct. 23. H.K. & K. Wharves, \$122 b. and sa. A fleet of over 20 Japanese trucks was attacked by Chinese troops at Chenshulpa on the Julchang-Wuning highway on October 16, according to reports just to hand.

> The Chinese destroyed several of the trucks and selzed the rest. They also captured ten Japanese guards, and took possession of \$30,000 cash and a large quantity of military supplies.-Central News.

As-You-Were In Elections In France

Paris, Oct. 23. The second ballot in to-day's elections for one-third of the seats in the French Senate reveals little change in the respective strength of the parties.

It is not expected that the results of the third ballot, which are due later to-night, will make much difference to the position.

The state of the parties after the second ballot was as follows: Republicans 16, Left Republicans 10. Independent Radicals 11, Socialist Union, three, Socialists, four.

A third ballot is necessary for 17 constituencies. The result of the second ballot for Guadeloupe is not yet known.-Reuter.

FURTHER RESULTS

Paris, Oct. 24. The following further election results were published inte on Sunday

Socialists | 4. winning Speinlists Republican Union 2, winning 1 Republican Socialists 4, losing 4 Radical Socialists 41, losing Independent Radicals 9, lozing 1 Leftwing Republicans 10, unchanged Republican Union 27, winning 9 Out of 97 vacant reats, the right

wing parties won nine at the expense of the Radical Socialists and neighbouring groups. The Socialists succeeded in winning only one seat.

The general tendency shows a alight swing to the right, endorsing the Senate's attitude against the Front Populaire. This attitude of the Senate was also responsible for the fall of the Blum Cabinet in 1937. —Trans-Ocean.

WIRELESS CALL

The following vessels were in communication with Hongkong up to 6 p.m. yesterday and communication with them can reasonably be expected to-day; Felix Roussel, Tegelberg, Rawaipindi, Haltan, Conte Biancamano, Sulyang, Hupeh, Kingyuan, Birdhana, Barres, Anhul, Fooshing, Bulsang, Mul Hock, Kiangsu, Tilawa, Ting Bang, Kwangtung, Yunnan, Kum Bang, Coburg, Nenning, President Coolidge, Talasunhong, Islami, Gnelsenau, Yolande Berlin.

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(I Fall in Love with You Every Day, S.F.T. VICTOR SILVESTER'S ORCHESTRA. F1134 (Somebody's Thinking of you To-night. Q.S. (Oh. Ma-Ma, Benutiful Boy. 6/8. NAT GONELLA'S GEORGIANS.

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HUNGARY CLIMBS DOWN TO CZECHS Italo-German Intervention Responsible

CZECHO-SLOVAKIA DEMANDS HALFWAY

Budapest, Oct. 23. speedy settlement of the frontier dispute between Hungary and Czecho-Slovakia was foreshadowed in Budapest this evening when it became known that apparently, on the advice of Germany and Italy, the Hungarian Government had decided to modify its standpoint by declaring itself prepared to agree to a settlement of the Hungarian claims in respect of Czecho-Slovakia on a purely racial basis.

upon the receipt in Budapest of as they are claimed by both, Hunthe so-called fourth Czech plan.

This plan had been handed to the Hungarian military attache in Prague and taken to Budapest by car. The Czech proposals principle demands for one thing the principle demands fo were then immediately subject- incorporation of these towns in the ed to a careful examination by territory to be ceded by Czecho-Premier Imredy and his leading Slovakia to Hungary,—Trans-Ocean. Cabinet Ministers.

Premier Imredy and his Foreign audience with Admiral von Horthy, stating that the latest Czech prothe Hungarian Regent. Later in the posals which arrived yesterday even-day the Hungarian counter-proposals ing "are unacceptable in their present were drawn up. At first it was pre- form. The important cities of Bratis-sumed that the mere fact of the lavia, Neutra, Uzohrod and Mun-Hungarian Government formulating katevo would remain under Czech the new proposals was, in itself, an sovereignty. The Hungarian Council indication that the Czech plan was of Ministers have been deputed to regarded in Budapest as being in- deliver a detailed reply through the adequate. From a reliable source it regular diplomatic channels." was learnt, however, that the Hun- Meanwhile, Dr. Imredy, the Pre-Czech proposals, which fail to find political opponents to "stand aside, an endorsement in Budapest because or be silent." they disregard certain important. The article flatly rejects a comtowns with a predominantly Hun- promise with the Government's argugarian population.

was such that one could safely pre- -- United Press.

clements in the Arab peasantry, who constitute the bulk of the population.

Buildings at the Jaffa rallway station were set aftre this morning, but the flames were extinguished

The First Royal Dragoons have

arrived on board the British steamer

JEWISH OPPOSITION

terrorism in Palestine, "in the supply,

before much damage was done.

Teiresias, at Haifa.—Reuter.

the status of a minority.

country.

It would appear that the diet a severe tussle between the two events took a dramatic turn of Kaschau, Uschrod and Munkaets

PROPOSALS Budapest, Oct. 23. Minister Dr. von Kenya, then had an A communique was issued to-day

garlan counter-proposals, take ac- mier, has intensified his drive tocount of the enthnographical factors wards totalitarianism, an article in to a far greater degree than did the the official newspapers warning

ment, indicating that sweeping social The position on Sunday evening and economic changes are planned.

JERUSALEM, Oct. 23.

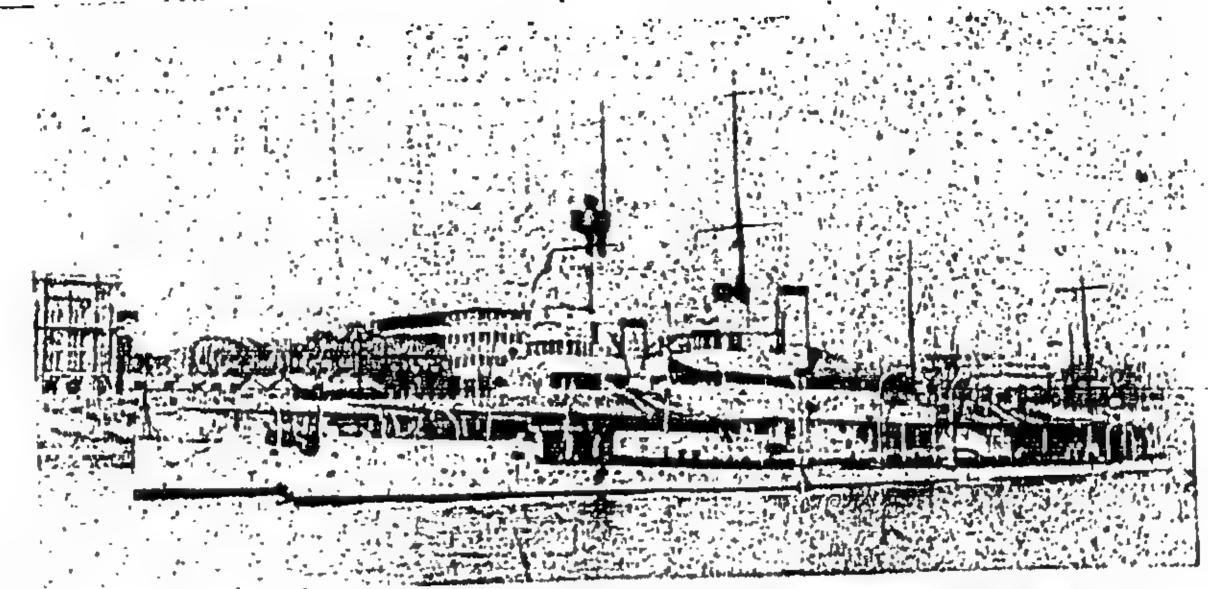
Death Threat To Arabs

Who Register Names

THE RECENT GOVERNMENT order that an male inhabi-

primarily to ascertain the loyal nent imperative.-Reuter.

tants over 16 years of age should register for cards of



bombed by six Jananese planes this morning.

Leaders Thinese



WANG CHUNG-HUI

THOUSAND DIE: SHIP BOMBED

Terrible Japanese Atrocity In

identity has resulted in the Arab leaders issuing counter-orders to their countrymen, in which taey declare that anyone known to have obtained one of these cards will be summarily shot dead. Yangtse River The Government order is intended manent home makes such a settle-Hankow, Oct. 23.

to hand on Sunday evening are very China Merchants Steam trailan adviser, are in Hongkong. neagre.

It is known, however, that interlittent firing in Jerusalem occurred to have been either killed or when asked to confirm on done to have been either killed or when asked to confirm on done to likely. It is known, however, that inter-mittent firing in Jerusalem occurred to have been either killed or When asked to confirm or deny rein course of which one Jew was wounded when Japanese ports that Madame Chiang Kal-shek At a meeting in London to-day of A systematic search of the houses aircraft bombed the vessel the Jewish Board of Deputies, in Old Jerusalem for Arab in the Yangtse at Changrepresenting Jews in the British Irregulars was carried out all day lingki near Yoyang at 3 Empire, a resolution was passed Sunday. In spite of the extended lingki near Yoyang at 3

Yunki station, 14 miles north of

than 10 civilians. Central News.

NEW JUSTICE

OF APPEAL

Sir Herbert du Parcq, a Justice of

the King's Bench, has been ap-

place of Sir Frederick Greer, who has

Mr. Wingtringham Stable, R.c., has

been appointed a Justice to the King's

Bench.-Reuter.

pointed Lord Justice of Appeal, in

London, Oct. 23.

immigration to Palestine, or the Irregulars are still in a defaut mood. Yoyang was raided twice by asked. relegation of Jews in Palestine to They let it be known on Sunday in Jerusalem, for instance, that begin- Japanese machines yesterday. Nine enemy machines first The resolution also welcomed the ping on October 25, the first day of employ effective measures to suppress would boyeoft the electric light appeared over Changsha at decision of the British authorities to Arab Fasting, the Arab population The Synagogue and the Jewish heavy fire from Chinese anti- Japanese reports, which state that he machinery aiready exists through The resolution expressed the con-school in Hebron have been burned aircraft batteries. They flew is definitely in Chungking.

by the Government would pave the to the ground. An Arab policeman way for a more enduring co-operation | was shot. in Jaffa Arab Irregulars forced development of prosperity in the their way into the Ottoman Bank and set fire to the building after being in The resolution added that the possession of it for several hours. After raiding Paishul, they proceeded to Yoyang, releasing several A military and police camp was munent settlement of the Palestine attacked in Gaza. Details of this bombs at Chenglingki. problem must be based on the his- affair, in course of which Arab Ir-In the afternoon nine other planes toric connection of the Jewish people regulars kept up incessant fire from with Palestine, and the right, interagain made their appearance over Yoyang and Changlingki. It was at

this time that the Klang Hsin was nationally guaranteed to the Jewish ing. people as embodied in the Palestine | In the neighbourhood of Tulkarem mandate which Britain accepted as a two landmines exploded under a The resolution concluded that the Haifa to Lyda. Little damage was Changsha on the Canton-Hankow desperate need of the masses of done. One British soldier was Railway, was also raided by these dropped, killing and wounding more

Jewish people who were the victims wounded. of hate and persecution, for a per- A military patrol was ambushed

DURING THE WEEK-**END** authoritative but unofficial Chinese sources reported that Messrs. Wang Chung-hui, Foreign Minister, and Wang Ching-wei, arrived secretly in Hongkong on Saturday morning.

Efforts by the "Telegraph" to officially confirm these rumours have met with no success. However, a "Telegraph" re-

presentative has statements from two Chinese who, allege that they have already spoken to Mr. Wang Ching-wei in Hong-The purpose of the vicit to Hong-

thong, state the rumours, is in connection with peace negotiations. The name of the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Kerr-Clarke-Kerr, has been freely mentioned as media-

This part of the rumours, however, has been definitely quashed firstly, by an official statement by the Ambassador to the "Telegraph" that he is not participating in any mediatory task and that he has seen neither Mr. Wang Chung-hul nor Mr. Wang Ching-wei and, secondly, by the departure for Chungking of the Ambassador at midnight.

Support for the rumours that the two Chinese leaders is, however, MANY DEATHS REPORTED

Jerusalem, Oct. 23.

Jerusalem, Oct. 23.

GERS aboard the litis also stated that Madame

Fresh outbreaks of disorder and GERS aboard the litis also stated that Madame

TION of the Cabinet, follow-

my knowledge, is not here."

Mr. Soong replied. RUMOUR DISCOUNTED

Rumours that Mr. Wang Ching-wei 10.05 in the morning, drawing is in Hongkong are discounted by

Canton-Hankow Railway, where they dropped two, bombs, causing slight damage to the railway track.

After rolding Polishul. The Chinese capital. In addition ticisms, much already has been accomplished, and the armament to Mr. Wang Ching-wel, it is attended programme is steadily rising in the Chinese capital. In addition ticisms, much already has been accomplished, and the armament programme is steadily rising in the Chinese capital. In addition ticisms, much already has been accomplished.

Ataturk Fools His Doctors

ANKARA, Oct. 23. It is announced that no further bulletins will be issued Mr. Neville Chamberlain's return following the bulletin of last from Chequers to-morrow morning night, which stated that the acute symptoms of Kemal Ataturk's illness have now completely disappeared.—Reuter.

ROYAL BIRTHS IMMINENT

London, Oct. 23. in Tebrius, but 16 Arabs were caught. Near-Eastern kingdoms.

Metropolis, one British policeman Prince Paul of Greece last January. Italy on which the pact will become was shot. Shots fired by an un- In Egypt, the 17 year-old Queen effective. known assailant in Haifa seriously Farida, who married King Farouk wounded the Arab representative of also last January, has moved to Ras be given an opportunity to discuss the district commissioner and killed El Tin Palace, where a happy event the matter in accordance with the his nophew who accompanied him .- is expected within a week or two.- Prime Minister's pledge to the House



WANG CHING-WEI

NO MAJOR CHANGES IN CABINET

Premier Expected To Decide

LONDON, Oct. 23. countless acts of sabotage marked steamer Kiang Hsin of the Chiang Kai-shek and Mr. W. H. ing the resignation of Mr. A. the week-end in Palestine. Reports

was in Hongkong, Mr. Soong replied: tries-National Defence, Supply, and "The report is a monstrous fabrica- Civil Shipping-which has been the tion. Madame Chlang, to the best of subject of speculation, is thought to be quite out of the question, and "Have your heard that Mr. Wang some circles will be very surprised opposing the restriction of Jewish British military operations, Arab o'clock yesterday afternoon. Chung-hul and Mr. Wang Ching-wei if even one new Ministry is created or immigration to Palestine, or the statement of the stateme "I have nothing further to say," more closely the national defence departments is thought a possibility. Sir John Anderson has been men-

tioned in this connection. It is pointed out that Government northward to Paishui station, 40 an important conference is being held National Register, and, despite crimiles north of Changsha on the in the Chinage and th

> ed as a likely candidate for one of the vacancies in the Cabinet. Captain David Margesson has been regarded by many in high quarters as an ideal. First Lord of the Admiralty, but there is reason to believe that he may not wish to leave his present post as chief Government . Whip.

PREMIER'S RETURN

marks the beginning of another week of political activity.

Although great reticence is observed in official circles; regarding new appointments to the Cabinet, there is a growing feeling in political circles that the Duke of Devenshire, at present Under-Secretary of State for the Dominions, may become the new Dominions Secretary. It is also thought that Captain Margesson may be persuaded to overcome his reluctance to relinquish his position as chief Whip, and to accept the office of First Lord of the Admiralty, rethe throne are imminent in two cently vacated by Mr. Duff Cooper, The question of whether the

The village of flut near Nazareth The parents of Princess Frederika, Anglo-Italian pact can now be ratiwas searched by British troops. One the 21 year-old Crown Princess of the Bellish Cablest on Wadnesday Arab who attempted to escape cap- Greece, arrived at Athens to-day in the British Cabinet on Wednesday, ant'cloation of the birth of a child when, if the Ministers feel the time In Tel Aviv, the new Jewish to their daughter, who married Crown is now ripe, a date will be fixed with

Prior to that date Parliament will

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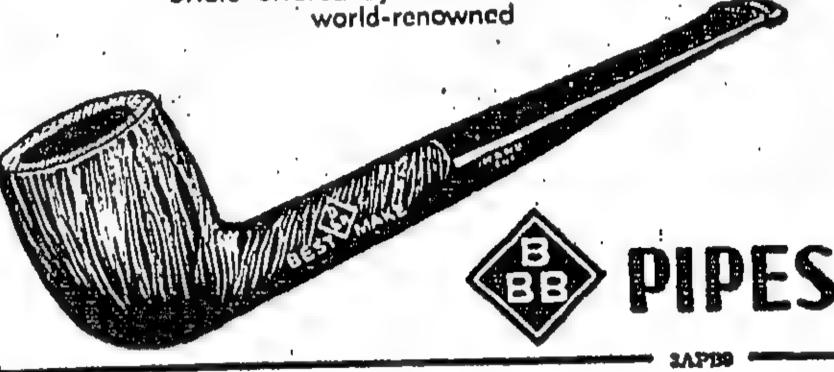
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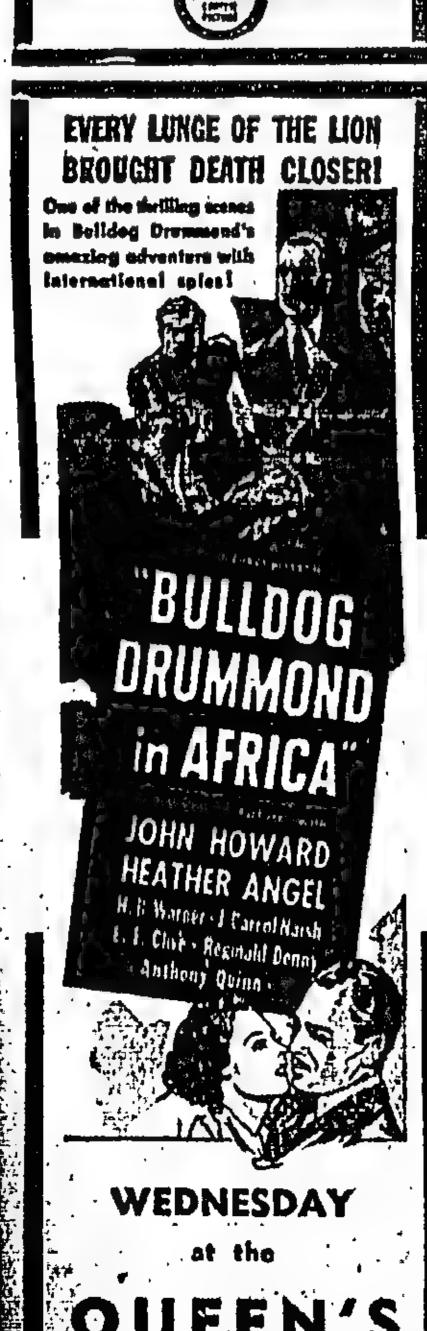
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OPERATIONS TO CONTINUE Japanese Army Plans In S. China

ADMITS MANY DIFFICULTIES

Canton, Oct. 24.

IN his first press interview following his landing in South China, Lieut.-General Mikiro Furusho, Commander-in- der canvas in the annual training Chief of the Japanese Expeditionary Force in South China, declared on Sunday that the Japanese military operations would not be relaxed even after the fall of Canton until the policies to resist against Japan and co-operate with Com- East particularly which have munists have been renounced by the Chinese.

ENTIRE furniture of 7-roomed house, his entry into the city on Sunwithin 10 days of the landing Japan and co-operation with Com- of Chinese who were not eligible in parts of the British Consulate-Gen-

While attributing the brilliant re-

General Furusho for the services evacuated the district. done by the native citizens of Formosa who accompanied the expeditionary forces across the Ocean into the Continent.

tions in South China.

garded as the breeding grounds in East Asia. for anti-Japanese and pro-Com-1 Powers."

"The Chinese forces, from the outset of the present Incident, have suffered successive defeats at the hands of the Imperial Army and Navy forces. The National Government has already sacrificed a million of officers and men. After they lost Hsuchow this spring and the Wuhan Navy Department of the Imperial will. tri-city area is now in imminent Headquarters announces.

of the war of resistance, against

"The Japanese Empire is profound- the Commander-in-Chief of the First Domet.

Granting the interview upon by regretting the state of affairs for attendance at the camps. for sale, in good condition, including day afternoon, General Furusho force to South China is simed at themselves, though not published, voiced high satisfaction at the wiping out the hotbeds of are known to have reached a record, buildings mined to-day is within ten successful occupation of Canton manoeuvres for resistance against including as they do, a good number

> ment of their empty dreams. "Although the city of Canton has is new. sults of the recent drive to the august fallen, it could not be excused, if virtues of His Majesty, the Emperor, only for the sake of humanity, that the Commander-in-Chief simultane- the elements who were unable to ously voiced great appreciation for realize the true intention of Japan, ber 6: Corps Signals, Mobile Column, the self-enerificing efforts offered by have wrecked important culural esthe officers and men in his forces. | tablishments including electric light Company, A. A. Company, Machine He thanked the people at home for and water service equipment and their carnest support and sympathy, have resorted to the reckless tactics

STILL MANY DIFFICULTIES

exist many kinds of difficulties and Section. Deep condolences and sympathy obstacles in the way of the Japanese were also expressed by the supreme who are determined to see that these is a condition of efficiency (A.S.C. commander for the officers and men anti-Japanese elements have repent- Company excepted). Arrival after who lost their lives or who have ed of their past mistakes and ab- 8 a.m. or departure after 5 p.m. will been wounded in the recent opera- stained from the policies of resisting not count as a day's attendance in against Japan and co-operating with camp. The attendance for four "Canton has hitherto been re- the establishment of lasting peace training year.

"The intention of the Japanese General forces never to discontinue their Furusho declared. "Since the out- military operations until their break of the hostilities, the city of ultimate aims have been attained, weapons and munitions from third ed their advance northward from employed by them, to attend camp.

SUPREME NAVAL HEAD IS REVEALED

Tokyo, Oct. 24. The supreme commander of the

Vice-Admiral Shiozawa

CHINA NATIONAL AVIATION CORPORATION

GENERAL TRAFFIC AGENTS FOR

PAN AMERICAN AIRWAYS

ANNOUNCE

TO

GLOUCESTER BUILDING

REMOVAL OF THEIR

NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER —

RECORD VOLUNTEER CAMPS **EXPECTED**

EFFICIENT Volunteers will be camps of the Hongkong VolunBritish Consulate is already prepared

teer Defence Corps. It is ex
for demolition and the post process of the discretion of the Post gistered and parcel mails are closed of 5 p.m. on the provided of 5 p.m. on the p.m. on t teer Defence Corps. It is ex- for demolition, and the Chinese over the world and in the Far blowing up the place,—United Press. given such a stimulus to military organisation, will lead to a record

"The dispatch of the expeditionary The numbers of the Volunteers of the expeditionary forces in disillusioning the National Govern- holding the camps in two consecu-

> The camps will be as follows: 1st Camp, Wednesday, November 2 to the afternoon of Sunday, November 6: Corps Signals, Mobile Column.

2nd Camp, Wednesday, November Especial appreciation was voiced by of setting fire to the city before they Gun Troop, No. 1 M. G. Company, No. 2 M. G. Company, No. 5 M. G. Company, A. A. Company, Machine "We are aware that there still Gun Signals, Medical Section, Pay

> Attendance in camp for four days Communists, and that ultimately the days at camp is also a condition of foundation has been solidly laid for receiving a bonus at the end of the zer's message disclaiming the Nazi

EMPLOYERS ASKED TO CO-OPERATE

Letters signed by the Commundant have been addressed to employers message, whispering advice to re-Canton has operated as an im- may be testified by the fact that the requesting them to grant permission frain from any demonstration. portant base for the import of Japanese forces have already resum- for those members of the Corps

"Notwithstanding that four hun- formerly the Naval Attache to the Overseas Service Squadron. He dred million people throughout the Japanese Embassy in London, and country have been driven into a miscrable plight, the National Governbined Fleet and concurrently Chief-sion, commander of the Chinkai of the church bells.

The name of the posts of the man Cardinals, and ordered a chairman of the Publicity Commiscration of the Chinkai of the church bells.

Naval Station, chief of the Naval Air and still of the conviction that At the time of the first Sino- Force Headquarters, and commander. Japanese hostilities in 1932, he was of the Maizuru Naval Station.—

READY TO BLOW UP HANKOW

Hankow, Oct. 24. Explosions were heard this morning from the former British Concession and nearby buildings,

pected that the general conditions authorities have promised to give 24

DYNAMITE PLACED

Hankow, Oct. 24. Dynamite fuses are at present being placed in all Japanese buildings in Hankow. Most of these are along-

The authorities have promised to tive weeks instead of four week-ends give foreigners 24 hours warning to evacuate before they set fire to the fuses.-Reuter.

CARDINAL INNITZER'S

DEFENCE Refutes Charges In

Letter To Churches

Catholic churches throughout Austria to-day heard without making any demonstrations, Cardinal Innitassertions that he precipitated the riots on October 7.

At St. Stephen's Cathedral, Vienna, a man circulated among the congregation prior to the reading of the

Air M

3rd November.

November.

The message, commenting on Ge-"Should you have difficulty in ob- | lober 7, stated: "The young peoples" taining your employers' permission demonstration at the service was you should inform the O.C. your unit | neither foreseen nor desired by me. without delay," states the official It is not true that the youths song political songs during the service, or Only Corps uniform may be worn that I spoke the words 'The Nazis Japanese naval forces participating in camp and Volunteers should travel have decided upon a fight and I am Nanking, their capital, last winter, in the campaign in South China is to camp in uniform. Helmets will ready for it', which are attributed to they suffered a crushing defeat in Vice-Admiral Kolchi Shiozawa, the not be taken to camp but Greatcoats me. I had not overlooked the historic significance of the hour in which my own home, the Sudetenland was returned to the Reich, but I thanked

> "I am still of the conviction that all Catholies are bound in convenience to fulfil their duties to the State. However, a bishop must at all times fulfil his oath to defend the rights which belong to the Church."-United Press.

Nation's Art Treasures Sent Away

Some of the pictures from the National Gallery have been removed to places of safety, the removal taking place after dusk and under mili-

Mr. F. J. G. Rawlins, who is in charge of the gallery's A.R.P. scheme, has made plans for the care of the whole of the 3,300 pictures.

The central rooms, containing works of the Italian schools, are closed and the staff is working to midnight to crate the pictures. At the British Museum red tabs have been placed on hundreds of treasures to indicate that they are to be first for removal.

houses. The thousands of exhibits remaining will be protected by sandbags, and the glass roof will be boarded and sandbagged.

Some will be housed in deep tun-

nels, and others taken to country

MUST NOT EASE OFF Most public buildings in the heart of London have been supplied with material and black paint for darkening windows. County Hall, the headquarters of the L.C.C., has thick brown paper already pasted over many of the windows.

While the Home Office is satisfied with the progress of gas-mask dis-tribution, it emphasises that there must be no slackening in the work because of apparent easing in the international situation.

NEW ALTITUDE MARK

Rome, Oct. 22. A new world altitude record for single-engined aircraft, at present held by Britain, is claimed for Major Pezzi, who flew at a height of 55,000

The English record holder was the late Squadron-Leader R. M. J. Adam, who reach a height of 53,937 feet in June 1987,-Reuter.

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The Christmas Parcel Mail for Nanking, Tsingtau, Tientsin and Great Britain will be closed in the Peiping are temporarily suspended. General · Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office at Noon on Friday, the 11th November per S.S. "Ranpura" and is due to arrive at

London on the 10th December, 1938. The Public are kindly requested to post carly. ' AIR MAIL LETTERS

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Dunnett received a cable from

Dublin informing her that, her

sell," said Mrs. Dunnett this morning

tive of the "Hongkong Telegraph."

"If the horse doesn't come in

| Kathleen will still have £437, and,

of course, if it does come in, then she

will have a great deal of money."

If Olympus wins, Baby Dunnett

Kathleen is a bonny curly headed

baby of sixteen months. This morn-

ing, she was toddling round her

parents' home in a cheerfully colour-

ed overall suit, hugging a woolly rab-

b.t, offering it to all and sundry

saying "Wow-wow." That is the

name given on her ticket. Her

mother explained that they had

chosen this name as Kathleen calls

all her woolly toys "Wow-wow"

whether they be dogs, rabbits or cats.

Mr. and Mrs. Dunnett are ex-

tremely proud of their lucky daughter. They have made no plans

as to what they will do with the

money. They are returning to Scot-land in six months' time but state

that the money will not make any

JAPANESE CLAIM

FORTS OCCUPIED

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westward from Lungmoon in co-

speration with other Japanese units

which are driving northward from

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advanced to a point 25 miles cast of

Canton, the communique concludes.

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Magistrate On Prehistoric Hongkong

FINDS IN HONGKONG of great scientific importance were described by Mr. W. Schofield, the Houghous Police Magistrate who is now on leave, in a recent broadcast from England entitled Prehistoric Research in Hongkong." He said that discoveries of stone adres found in Hongkong have helped to reveal a culture unknown till the last year or two, that of the pre-Chinese tribes of the southeast coast of China. They demonstrate relation to the classic culture of North China and indicate a connection between the mainland civilization and the island world of the Pacific, sald Mr. Schofield.

FIRST BRITISH REFUGEES REPORT **MACHINE-GUNNED**

(Continued from Page 1.)

and as soon as the goods have been r.fled, the building is set on fire.
It was in the light of lurid flames and under a dense pall of smoke that the two men set out in their launch, covered with Union Jacks, and headed for the mouth of the

Shortly after leaving the city, Japanese plants swooped low overhead, and intermittent firing could

Throughout the whole journey, of hearing of the roar of aeroplanes | Chungshan district over 1,000 Japanand once were they the actual object ese landed on Tengkawai and Lau-

A lone raider apparently decided Japanese are still encountering reto have some fun and spattered the sistance from Chinese sulf-defence water round the launch repeatedly, corps, which frustrated the Japonese narrowly missing the launch. The flags were so consplcuous terday morning. that the aviator could not have

avoided seeing them. LEVELLED RIFLES The men were halled to stop by a large junk manned by Chinese, who duced to a heap of rulns by numer-

appeared from their accountrements cus Japanese incendiary bombs.

They levelled rifles at the launch its security Shekkai is quiet and but Mr. Frost and Mr. Linsker peaceful. shouted them down and by repeated-ly pointing to the flag, bluffed them

into desisting. of junks similarly manuca and at vessels, mostly remodelled after Later on the launch passed dozens was obvious that the whole delia was merchant craft, has been increased swarming with deserters who had to about thirty off Amoy, Quemoy, taken to the water to get what loot Tungan, Haiteng and their vicinity. they could while their comrades One of the Japanese ships off carried on depredations in the city. Tungan hurled over nine shells to Late in the evening, the launch the shore yesterday without inflictreached Shekki where Japanese ing any damage,-Central News. neroplanes, which had come and gone over their heads the whole journey, had begun scattering leastets over the countryside stating "Canton has

The natives were tremendously excited and there were many re-

Mr. Frost and Mr. Linaker were faced with the problem of covering Macao and they were fortunate to Arrangements for the observance persuade a driver of a motor car to of Armistice Day on November 11 several miles across country to take them—for a consideration. | are already in hand and contributions The equivalent of \$85. Hongkong of the Poppy Fund have been received

money was paid for the thort journey as below: after which the travellers' troubles His Excellency, The Governor \$100 were over.

MANILA SHARES

The following quotations are received after the close of the morning session through Reuters:

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United Paracale ... The following is Swan, Culbertson gratefully received by Mr. W. J. Cole, & Fritz' report on this morning's Acting Secretary, Earl Haig's Fund, Hongkong & Shanghai Bank Building, The Man!la Stock Exchange morn-

ing session was steady.

MAIL DESTROYED

An adjournment of three days was granted Detective-Sergeant J. Allen. by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy on Saturday, when he prosecuted a postman, Chau Yu, 37, on two counts of destroying mail. Chau was alleged to have destroyed carried out from Pakshawan Fort a letter on October 18, and two between 6 p.m. and midnight to-day, letters and a newspaper on October and from the same fort during the

Diplomatic Re-Shuffle In France

PARIS, Oct. 23. An important diplomatic reshuffle is announced as a result of the transfer of M. Francois Poncet from Berlin to Rome. M. Erik Labonne, at present Am-On Saturday morning, Mrs. He will be succeeded by M. Jules critical.

Henry, chief private secretary to M. little girl had drawn Olympus China, is being transferred to Moscow, to be Ambassador to Turkey.

"We have decided, however, not to Ambassador to Berlin. when interviewed by a representa- Bonnet also recommended the ap- -- Reuter,

SMALL BOY INJURED

A serious motoring accident occurred outside the gates of the Royal Naval Dockyard at two o'clock this afternoon when a small sports car, driven by a Chinese, ran into a Chinese boy. He was struck with such force that one of the mudguards. of the car was badly buckled.

The child sustained very serious injuries to the head and was taken into the Dockyard by his father, who witnessed the accident. The condition of the child is sinted to be

pointment of M. Massigli, Director of M. Paul Naggiar, Ambassador to Political Affairs at the Qual d'Orsay, In some quarters these changes are which stands a 20 to 1 chance in where he takes the place of M. In some quarters these changes are which stands a 20 to 1 chance in where he takes the place of M. In some quarters these changes are the race on Wednesday. attitude towards the totalitarian It is understood that M. George States since the Munich agreement.

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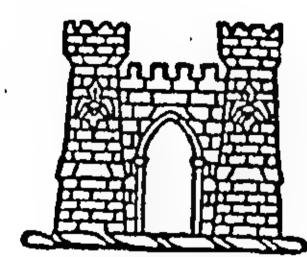
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DISSENSION IS TREASON

It became a maxim under the was next to sacrilege in gravity. of a city. Such utterances sow the Czechs in a common State, till 1918. There was no "King- and insisted that his German dictum has held; in fact, Trea-sters attacking China from the son may now be said to rank in . rear, she cannot have to son. son may now be said to rank in rear, she cannot hope to con-Bohemia is still dim for lack of The earliest Czech rulers—to civic assemblies. Half a cenagainst the people.

It is still too early to state trayal the world has known for nincteen centuries.

new and equally deadly form of fined by the Oxford Dictionary of Treason for which the in- leaders can do their people is to pressing dissatisfaction with, or such a nature that the fall of the city was not even a remote equally dangerous form of Trea- China. son, is any attempt to disredit! We would be lacking in

Chiang Kai-shek or the other occurred.

THE CZECHS' HISTORIC HOMELAND

Countrymen of "Good King Wenceslas"

Bohemia's Centuries-Old Sudeten Minority

By H. D. ZIMAN

AFTER VERSAILLES.

position of the Sudeten

OR many British spectators of the stillunfinished tragic drama which has been taking place in Central Europe, the issue has been shrouded not merely by propraganda, and by personal sympathies and hopes, but by a normal and natural public ignorance concerning a country of which the present name did not appear on pre-war maps

language. to the outside world under its wishes to "return to the Reich 1918. old familiar name of Bohemia were pre-war citizens of Ger-(much as the people who call many lost (like the Alsatians themselves the Hellenes are and Lorrainers and the inthat it would be more generally sailles. understood that the claims of

members of the Chinese National Government is a greater blow to the seeds of dissension, breed greater or smaller, for many dom of Slovakia."

has the Kwangtung capital fal- Servia, and Rumania became the Quadi) had invaded and one of his brothers. been used in the greatest be- of the greatest Army the world Slav influx.

as falseness to the government and we continue to believe, that of the country. It is this type the worse disservice China's vaders of China have prayed verses. The danger of this for sixteen months. It is the policy became apparent imme-Treason which has allowed pup- diately with the loss of Canton, pet regimes to come into being which could not be hushed up. in Peiping and Nanking. It is majority of Chinese people that the Treason wherein a section the Japanese were still some of the people betrays their coun-scores of miles from Canton, and try in its hour of need by ex- were encountering opposition of possibility, that when disaster the leaders of the National Gov- came on Friday the effect was ernment. The vilest Treason of catastrophic. Had vernacular this type insofar as China is and other European newspapers concerned is the transference published a true state of affairs, of allegiance from the National as did the Telegraph, we are Government to the leaders of the so-called governments who philosphically that there would are manifestly puppets dangling not have been this subsequent at the ends of strings pulled by hunting for scapegoats which is the invaders. A milder, but so injurious to the cause of

the existing Government of our responsibilities to our readers and, we believe, in our friendship for the Chinese We would like to issue this people, were we to refrain from warning to the Chinese people: publishing accurate and imme-An utterance by any responsible | linte reports of events in China. or semi-responsible Chinese person or newspaper which seeks to discredit Generalissimo ing disasters until they have

form the crest of a Prince of but newcomers.

Wales. Even more have heard Even before they had estaband sung). of "Good King lished themselves in Moravia cessive Emperors.

Wenceslas." But few have and Bohemia the Slav in their While the dignity of the Czech realised that these two figures westward advance must have realm was being raised, increawere rulers of the people now overrun what is now Slovakia, sing ties were being created and by the end of the 9th century a "Great Moravian" Empire with the Holy Roman Empire, and an increasing German had been established which in- and an increasing German An almost equal vagueness in cluded the Western Slovaks, minority entering the Bohemian the popular mind envelopes the But this Empire was broken kingdom. They mainly kept to early in the 10th century by the their own language and largely or occur in pre-war history mans. It is possible still to Magyars, who gained possession to their own settlements. The meet persons creditably well- of Slovakia in the 11th century Sudeten Germans had arrived informed on foreign affairs who and continued to hold it, except Sudeten Germans had arrived— Had the Czechs and their believe that the German-speak- for brief intervals, as part of or returned. Yet the distance friends presented their country ing citizens whom the Fuehrer the Hungarian Kingdom till which separates mediaevol racial

century Slovakia, it is true, trated in the reign of the great known to the outside world as habitants of the Polish Corridor) came for a time under the Czech Charles of Bohemia, who as the Greeks) it is at least possible in the great reshufile of Verand again the 15th century there the Czech Charles of Bohemia, who as the and again the 15th century there the Czech Charles of Bohemia, who as the and again the 15th century there were brief periods of Slovak in- made Prague his favourite capi-The Czecho-Slovakia of the dependence. But Czechs and tal. the country to independence Peace Treaties did, indeed, in-Slovaks-originally the same were not something, as it were, clude a few square miles of what people and preserving even to-dropped out of a hat by the was formerly Prussia. This day almost the same language— The Premyslid House had died small section contined under 50,- have continued to belong to out in 1306. The blind King Most British schoolchlidren 000 inhabitants—of whom 80 different countries and to be John mentioned earlier was a have heard of the blind King per cent. spoke (and speak) a governed on the whole under member of the House of Luxem-John of Bohemia, who fell at Moravian-Czech dialect. The different systems, although from bourg but married to a Premyremainder of Czecho-Slovakia 1490 until 1918 they shared the bourg, but married to a Premywas carved out of the old Austro- same foreign Sovereigns. The slid Princess. His son, Charles Hungarian Empire, where the Kingdom of Bohemia survived in IV., spoke French, German and old Roman laws that Treason the cause of China than the loss Sudetens had been neighbours of reality until 1620 and in theory Bohemian with equal facility,

most countries as the gravest time her gallant stand in front. records and excess of racial pro- return to Bohemia—did not tury before the German univer-The loss of Canton is a dis- paganda legends. Czechs and have the rank of King. "Good sities had been organised he offence that can be committed aster, but it was no more Sudetens regard one another King Wenceslas," though he was founded the University of disaster than was the loss of the with varying degrees of em- to have four namesakes with the Prague. Marne to the Allies in 1914. The phasis as intruders, but impartial kingly title, was in fact merely Under his successor, Wences-Allies regained the Marne, as definitely that Treason and traitors were involved in the downfall of Canton although, in view
fall of Canton although, in view
tish, French and Italian people
to the Marne, as historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling las IV., serious reforms were historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling las IV., serious reforms were known inhabitants of the country were actually Celts, known have been not merely a pious leader of the reformers was try were actually Celts, known have been not merely a pious leader of the reformers was try were actually Celts, known have been not merely a pious leader of the reformers was try were actually Celts, known have been not merely a pious leader of the Unitable Tacitus names as by the Roman Church, but an en-versity of Prague (from which of all the circumstances, there learned in the dark days of Capital Tacitus names as by the Roman Church, but an en-versity of Prague (from which. Waltzing Matilda Peter Dawson with Chorus seems no other explanation. 1914-17, that there is no dishonour or finality in temporary century A.D. German tribes lic executions. He died in 929, of the German students and pro-Never in its centuries of history nonour or manty in temporary (notably the Marcomanni and murdered on his way to Mass by fessors) and greatest of all defeat or retreat. Belgium, (notably the Marcomanni and murdered on his way to Mass by fessors) and greatest of all

accusing us of pro-Japanism be- archaeological evidence in- were acknowledging the au- rested and burnt at the stake in cause we published reports dis-dicates, Bohemia had at least a thority of the Holy Roman Em- 1415. Treason is making its appear- closing that the Japanese ad-scattering of Slav inhabitants. peror and marrying German The first effect of Huss's ance—the Treason which is de- vance was much more rapid No sane person would build princesses. Two members of martyrdom was a virtual nathan official Chinese sources political theories on the scanty the House had been granted by tional revolt against allegiance would admit. We believed then, data to be derived from these the Emperors the personal (not to Rome. A series or religious

Crecy, and from whose helm the early folk-wanderings, but it is hereditary (title of King before Black Prince is said (by a prob- fair, I think, to note that both Premsyl Ottaker I. (1197-1230) ably untrue legend) to have Czechs and Germans can claim succeeded in obtaining the king-picked the three feathers which that their races are anything ship as a hereditary title, con-

> jealousies from modern theories In the second half of the 13th of "blood-and-soil" are well illus-

officials should speak the nation-

Czech heroes. A purifier rather len to an invading alien army the territory of an invader in settled in Bohemia and the ad- The Pope had accepted a than a Protestant, Huss is be-1914 and 1915; Russia capitu- joining province, Moravia; but Slavonic liturgy, introduced to lieved to have come into contact with such ridiculous case, and lated in 1917. Nearly all of they later pushed onward into Bohemia by Greek missionaries, with the writings of Wyclif the only logical conclusion that France was overrun and the what is now known as Bavaria, unwillingly, and when Prague through Bohemian students who can be reached is that silver has Italians were meeting with dis- and were replaced, after an in- became a bishopric, he insisted came to England in the retinue aster after disaster at the hands terval of Lombard power, by a on the use of Latin. Thus of Anne of Bohemia, daughter Wenceslas and his successors, of Charles IV. and wife of our has known. But morale re-mained firm, and the nations BOTH OF EARLY ORIGIN ruling over a still largely pagan own Richard I. Hussites began people, welcomed educated to be persecuted as disciples of which for three years fought a! This process—the German priests from Germany. During Wyclif, and Huss himself, per-The story of this apparent losing war finally prevailed. This conquest and exodus—seems to the 12th and 13th centuries, suaded by Sigismund of Hunbetrayal may not be told for is history which the Chinese have occupied the first five cen- moreover, they began to en- gary, brother of Wenceslas, to many weeks. In the meantime, people should take to heart. | turies A.D. Bohemia by the sixth courage the immigration of travel under promise of a safe-During the Japanese advance, century appears to have been German traders and craftsmen. conduct to Constance and de-China's gateway and stronghold this newspaper received one or almost completely Slav, but even Already the Premyslids (as fend his views before a General in the South has fallen, and a two letters from Chinese readers in the first century, or earlier so the Royal House was called) Council of the Church, was ar-

wars followed, which were not really ended for 200 years. The conflict was nationalist as well as doctrinal. George of Podebrad, elected first as Regent, and then as Bohemia's only Protestant King, was the only purely Czech monarch after the Premy-

After the reigns of Vladislav and Louis of Poland, to whom the Crown had passed, Bohemia fell in 1526 under four centuries of Hapsburg domination. The art-loving and eccentric Rudolph II., who made Prague again the capital of the Empire, issued the celebrated "Letter of Majesty" in 1609, which gave the Bohemian Protestant religion ecclesiastical and educational rights at least equal to those of the Catholic minority. Rudolph was, however, deposed, and the Crown passed in turn to his brother Matthew and his nephew, Ferdinand H., who determined to reconquer Bohemia forthe Roman Catholic faith. The Thirty Years' War, which dovastated so much of Europe. actually began with the celebrated "Defenestration of Prague," when three of Ferdinand's Roman Catholic councillors were thrown out of a window of the castle into the moat—an experience which they survived.





"Don't you dare throw that has away—it's cost me a fortune in

FOUR FROM FLAMES SWEEP FIRES TIVE TO FROM

Last Act By Chinese In Evacuation Tragedy

PETROL AND KEROSENE, CHINESE REMNANTS AND CIVILIANS STARTED ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON THE BIGGEST MAN-MADE FIRE SINCE MOSCOW WAS BURNED IN 1812 TO CHECK NAPOLEAN.

sons are scattered throughout the world, is rapidly being consumed by the flames, which have swept through all the most important blocks, leaving nothing but gutted ruins in their wake.

Fanned by a stiff north-easterly wind, the conflagration roared through Canton throughout Saturday night and all day yesterday and this morning was still burning fiercely in the Saichuen and Honam

districts. The flames, spreading from building to building as wind, and the magnificent efforts of

district, which suffered so heavily from Japanese air Luildings and from other vantage

ammunition dumps exploded at 10.10 a.m. The explosions showered Shameen with debris for fully five minutes, wounding two Chinese on the island and severely damaging at least twenty buildings in the British

Concession. The damage on the western end of effort to create a fire break. Shameen island was so severe that Foreign residents nided most of the buildings had to be Japanese in an attempt to isolate the evacuated. The walls of famous blazes, but without success, Christ Church were cracked, the The amateur fire-fighters Italian Consulate collapsed. Among hopelessly handleapped by the buildings on Shameen which absence of water, the dynamiting of have had to be evacuated are the the city's reservoirs by the Chinese A.P.C. and Loxley & Co. premises. The Chartered Bank was also con-

siderably damaged. At Wongsha the havee wrought by the explosions is terrific. The entire ratiway aintion and yards

have disappeared. Locomotive, trucks, carriages and a huge pile of war materials await. ing shipment to Hankow were blown sky high, landing hundreds of yards away in the most grotesque and twisted shapes.

SATURATED AREAS

It is definitely known that the fires, four of which broke out simultaneously in widely scattered areas, were caused by the Chinese, who were witnessed by several Europeans as they saturated wide areas with kerosene

and petrol. One Chinese who attempted to set Shameen alight has been arrested.

The fires commenced simultaneous ly on Saturday afternoon in Wongsha, Honam Island, and the southern, northern and bund areas of the city

proper. They raged along the entire bund from east of the damaged Pearl River Bridge, past the Shakee Canal which divides Shameen from the

city, to Wongsha. Another confingration almost completely gutted nine blocks through in twelve months' savage bombings the heart of the business area from was accomplished by the Chinese in the bund to the Goddess of Mercy two days.

Temple. the other side of the Pearl River,

The Honam Island waterfront, on was completely ablaze all day yester-The flerce flames in the vicinity

of Shameen, especially at the French end, sent showers of sparks over the Anglo-French Concessions, necessitating the utmost vigilance on the part of all the residents, who turned fire-fighters and manned bucket brigades and every available garden hose.

Roofs of buildings in the Concesstons were constantly saturated with hitherto has been exemplary, according water to prevent them catching ing to the accounts of foreigners who alight.

INTENSE HEAT

meen defences had to constantly entire city is not patrolled." retire from the waterfront in order to cool off.

Two small fires were started at the | quarters building .- Reuter .- . . French end of the Concession, but they were quickly subdued. Along the bund the flames

extended for about two miles. Sames included the famous Temple signicipal Headquarters, the Headquarters, the Hinistry of Finance, the Great Hotel, the New Asia Hotel, the New Warren the Pow Office New Warren the Roll of the States of the Office New Warren the Offi wharves, the Post Office, New China Hetel and the 14-storey Of a change in the direction of the The present set of Canton's Chinase soldier who had been United Press.

B ITERALLY SWAMPING CANTON FROM END TO END WITH

A city which was once the home of nearly 2,000,000 people, and whose

bamboo bomb racks, placed atop the structures for ceasely all day yesterday. protection against air raids, spared neither European nor Chinese premises in their ferocious and all-consuming advance through the heart of Canton.

The central and Bund areas are heaps of smouldering

ruins. Where once stood the remains of the Wongsha raids, are now two gigantic craters.

They were caused when two | Kwan Hotel, which is Canton's The French Doumer hospital caught aftre half-an-hour after the patients were evacuated to the Hackett Memorial Hospital. Y.M.C.A. DYNAMITED

The Y.M.C.A. was evacuated in order to allow a Japanese dynamite squad to blow up the building in an

completely disrupting water supplies. for. Dynamite was the only weapon the Japanese could use, and throughout the day loud explosions testified to the fact that it was being detonated meal.-Reuter.

freely in attempts to create firebreaks. The flames, after destroying Wongsha, travelled towards the Saichuen area, vomiting up the dregs of civilian refugees from the city's sium

Owing to fears that they would be incinerated the authorities were forced to release all inmates of the leper settlement and insane asylum, as well as prisoners from the civic

WATERFRONT BLAZE

Across the Pearl River at Honam, the British wharves and foreign oil installations appear to have been

completely gutted. The fires were still fiercely raging this morning at Honam and of their success. in the western parts of Canton proper, but Shameen is now con-

sidered safe. Canton's famous silk street, containing rich textiles and silks of fabulous value, was swept from end

to end. A computation of the damage wrought by the flames places it at

Well over £50,000,000. What the Japanese attempted to do

LOOTERS ACTIVE

Canton, Oct. 24. Japanese patrols yesterday evening stood on guard outside the shops on the Shakee front where looters were creating havoc. Three or four persistent looters who opposed the Japanese soldiers' orders were bayonetted and they are now lying on the Shakee Bund in pools of blood. When the Japanese patrol withdrew, however, the looters immedi-

on to victory. ately returned. The behaviour of the troops

visited the city. resterday. Looting has been checked wher-So intense was the heat from ever possible, but owing to the small appeared in the blast. across the narrow channel that number of Japanese in the city, foreign residents manning the Sha- totalling approximately 1,500, the

Japanese headquarters have been established in the old Chinese head-

STILL A RAGING INFERNO

Canton, Oct. 24.

Wuhan Walls Placarded

HANKOW, Oct. 24. THE CHINESE Students' Anti-Japanese Association yesterday evening placarded and painted in Japanese sloguns on many of Hankow's walls, which read: "Japanese soldiers! Hankow

is your grave-Japanese sol-

dlera! Revolt against your militarists!"-United Press.

tragedy is set in a scene of such abomination and desolation that even the Japanese conquerors are aghast, while the flames from the ever-growing fire light up their hastily posted proclamations which

"We bring peace and prosperity, and we want all merchants to resume their business."

WIND SAVES SHAMEEN

At the end of the day provident breezes came to save Shameen from being included in the holocaust, deflecting the flames which, however, continued to roar unabated.

Last night a nearby explosion rocked Lingnam University, while Wongsha shook. The Shameen authorities state that they expect one or two more explosions in the city. Another United Press correspondent at Canton writes that from a river launch he saw a Japanese plane pass directly overhead Wongsha exploded, Indicating that the machine was possibly bombing the place in an effort to check the

On the other hand, eye witnesses assert that many Japanese troops are

Greatest tribute must be paid to

Unless there is a fresh outbreak in

the area between the British bridge

and Wongsha, the prospect of Sha-

meen being involved is very slight.

Nevertheless the authorities are not

relaxing emergency measure, and

naval units and volunteers were keep-

ing a watch all night on the roofs of

Old residents who went through

previous Communist up-rising and

civil wars state that never before

in their experience was there a day

the city yesterday which shook Sha-

meen, and blew in the window frames

uprocting the floor boards. The steel

seinders frames of the Hongkong and

VICTORY TURNS TO ASHES

unwanted guests found everything

in their path turning to ashes during

than two thousand men, the Japan-

ese were helpless to stem the awful

holocaust that is sweeping Kwang-

The victor is fire-fires started

after the Japanese entry into the

The Japanese are almost gnashing

their teeth in their rage. They have

no water to combat the menace of

total destruction that now threatens

Just us they succeed in ending

one fire by dynamiting buildings and

creating fire-breaks, the Chinese start

It is the greatest organised in-

While staid Shameen talpans and

naval officers stripped to the waist

and blackened by smoke and ashes,

wage a guerilla war on the flames in

the vicinity of the Anglo-French con-

cessions in an attempt to prevent the

confingration from devouring the

small Island, Japanese officers are dis-

consolately riding through the ruined

The only remaining inhabitants

appear to be poverty-stricken

The Japanese cannot find the fire-

PLANE IN EXPLOSION

on their baggage for two hours.

to post sentries.

wiped out.

cendlarism the world has ever known.

another conflagration elsewhere.

to grasp their rich prize in the hour

tung's capital from end to end.

the week-end.

Like Napoleon in Moscow, Canton's

Entering the city with not more

Canton, Oct. 24.

had to leave their home.

Two terrific explosions occurred in

the organisers of the fire fighters, who

are a group of German residents.

"The blast almost knocked 'me into the river, while sizzling fragments dived into the water all around the launch. Every window in Shameen was shattered, although there does not seem to have been any structural damage caused to the American Consulate. However, the interior is a mass of broken glass and plaster, while one of the Chinese clerks had his

"In the course of a tour of Pakhoktung and Fongehuen, which are missionary centres across the river, found no Japanese troops, streams of refugees were cutting their way across the countryside, and endless human trickle across the green

Japanese troops stopped the looting of rice shops opposite the British of the Royal Dutch Consulate, even bridge.

Mr. Wallace Forgie, a helper at the Y.M.C.A., evacuated the Bundside building when flames licked the back Shanghai Bank were also blown to door of the institution. smithercens, debris flying in the rond-Several eyewitnesses assert that way after the concussion, while the

Swiss Consul and his family have two Japanese planes flew over the explosion, and that one subsequently Following yesterday morning's ex- disappeared. CITY'S CENTRE ABLAZE plosion, the keepers at the lunatic

Another correspondent writes psylum at Pankhoktung, across the Pearl River from Shameen, fled that the whole of the centre 'eaving 800 mental inmates uncared Canton city at present is burn-British navalmen came to the from the bridge to ten blocks rescue and supplied 80 bags of rice north of that point and several in order to give them en evening blocks wide. A new fire has also started in Taping Road and the New Asia Hotel which is burning from the ground up, suggesting incendlarism as a couse, rather than stray sparks.

Telephone communications were cut late on Saturday afternoon, and no one was permitted to leave Shameen, therefore it was impossable to discover whether the Y.M.C.A., and the Canton Hospital were at that

time in flames. Two fires on the northern outskirts of the city might eventually threaten Shameen and therefore the fire brigades have been organised, ready

for action. While the Japanese fire fighters succeeded in extinguishing the fires in the centre of the city early on Sunday morning, new fires broke out around Shameen, and at present two fires are raging in Shakee, one at a west end rice store, which was set alight after being looted, and the other near the French Bridge, which spread from the Sun Company, owned by the super-patriot Chai Chung, who was observed removing his goods be-

fore the occupation of Canton. a precautionary measure Shameen firemen drenched Shameen matsheds, and at the time of sending the message Chinese looters were looting a rice store opposite the

British bridge. The night passed very quietly, there being only occasional firing, evidently used for signalling purposes, since it was regular.

It is evident that the Chinese populace has not been interferred with since they are still carrying their scavengers, who are looting whereever the Japanese have been unable parcels as they evacuate. The only sign of Japanese was an

occasional truck patrol at Shakee. FOREIGN OFFICES GUTTED bugs, and they cannot find the rich At noon yesterday the fires were Canton which, when they landed in slowly circling Shameen from the Bins Bay, loomed before their coveeast and west. The nearest of the tous eyes as a magnet drawing them fires was half a block away. The

Two Japanese planes were circling Road fire into the jerry-built Sailazily over Wongsha when the two kwan district, directly north. gigantic explosions rocked the city A United Press correspondent walked along the Bund from Shameen One of the planes completely dis- to the Pearl River Bridge and found

the district surrounding the Sun Several Japanese soldiers who Company a desolated shell, including were patrolling the area were also the offices of the Schmidt Company, the Hongkong and Canton Steamship The island is full up with people Company, and the Post Office, which from the interior and the American were on fire. and Italian consulates sent the British and American sallors were

women and children scurrying out fighting desperately to save the to the lawns, where they sat down Customs House. However, there was no fire be-At nightfull yesterday the city was Finally the explosions frontcally tween Talping Road and the Bridge. Buildings destroyed by the still a raging inferno, with a blew open the doors of Japanese The Y.M.C.A., and French Hospital mammoth fire east of the Bund area firms on Shameen, which had been was found to be just on the edge of yesterday's fire which had burned

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.... The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean; A Year of Theatre Land: Intro: Play, Orchestra, play (To-night at 8.30); Music in May (Careless Rapture); I breathe on windows (Over she goes) Drop in next time you're passing (Going Places) Anything Goes (Anything Goes); Love is a dancing thing (Follow the Sun); Unbelievable (Swing along); This'll make you whistle (This'll make you whistle))

....Janet Lind and Webster Booth with Chorus and Orchestra. 8.33 Two Songs by Gitta Alpar

(Soprano). Sing Something In The Morning B. Cochran's 'Home and Beauty'); No More (C. B. Cochran's 'Home and Beauty')....with Orchestra cond. by G. Walter.

8.40 B.B.C. Recording-A Talk on 'Speed' by Sir Malcolm Campbell. 8.50 Studio - Becihoven Trio played by Prue Lewis (Violin), Ettore Pellegatti ('Cello) and Lindsay A. Lafford (Piano). 9.20 Three Songs by Alexander

Kipnis (Bass). (Goethe-Schubert, Heldenroslein Op. 3, No. 3); Impatience (Muller-Schubert, Op. 25, No. 7); The Erl King (Goethe-Schubert, Op. 1)....

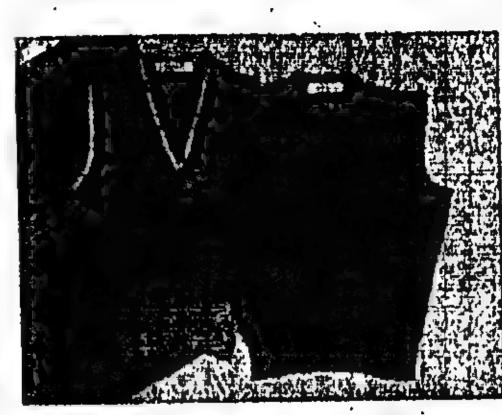
with Gerald Moore at the Piano. 9.30 London Relay-The News. 9.50 A Dance and Variety Pro-

gramme. Orch:-Antigua-Rumba, Dance Barbary Coast Blues....Joe Daniels and His Hot Shots in "Drumnasticks"; Vocal and Plano-I Won't Tell A Soul (Parker-Charles), Two Shadows (from the Film).... Leslie Hutchinson; Instrumental-Pua Carnation (Traditional); Palikiko Blucs (Traditional)....The Tahiti Beachcombers; Vocal-Dinah (Lewis-Young-Akst); It Don't Mean A Thing (Ellington)....The Boswell Sisters accompanied by the Dorsey Brothers Orchestra; Three Silhouette-Fox-Planos-Little Jolly Fellows-Trot; Three Fox-Trot....The Three Virtuosos; Vocal:-There's Something Spanish In My Eyes (Caesar and Friend); Stay Out Of The South (Dixon).... Sophie Tucker with Ted Shapiro and His Orchestra; Organ-Hot Pipes; Intro: The Toy Trumpet; I'm Gettin' Sentimental Over You; The Snake Charmer; Greenwich Witch; Twilight in Turkey; Serenade for a Wealthy Widow Torch.

10.33 The Band of H. M. Coldstream Guards. 1812 Overture (Tchnikovsky); Colonel Bogey-March (Alford). 10.45 London Relay-Victoria and

Disracli'. A play specially written for broadcasting by Hector Bolitho with Dame Marie Tempest as Queen Victoria THE HONGKONG wind then was blowing the Taiping (By permission of H. M. Tennent, Ltd.) and Robert Farquharson .os Disraeli: Narrator, Laidman Browne: John Brown, the Queen's Scottish scrvant, James Woodburn; Montague Corry, Secretary to Disraeli, Morland Graham; Lady-in-Walling . to Queen Victoria, Mary Hinton; Colonel Ponsonby, The Queen's Secretary, Gordon McLeod: Prince Bismarck, Howard Marion-Crawford; Lord Tennyson, Norman Shelley; Singer Jan Van Der Gucht; Production by John Chentle. 11.45 Close down.

one of the fires.



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EXCHANGE

For The Ball

Eastern Defeated For

First Time In Soccer League

South China Defence Too Good for Opposing Attack

(By "Abe")

Unbeaten in three matches, Eastern tasted defeat for the first time in the First Division of the Hongkong Football League yes-terday when they lost to South China "A" by five goals to nil at Caroline Hill. Expectations of good football from these two teams were not realised: the Caroline Hill men were far superior and, especially towards the end, completely dominated the play.

the Eastern defence stood up to the time he failed. pressure and when the ball was After play had been in progress swung across to the other end, the for 15 minutes, Kwok Ying-kee put Caroline Hill club's goal had a nar- South China in the lead with a fine row escape when Hau Ching-to, the header from a free kick taken by fest-wing, just falled to beat Pau Tang Kwong-sum. He got his head

resistance as it did in the opening dealy and entered the net in the far minutes. Only Heu King-shing, the corner. to the end; the others were too China continued exerting pressure at flustered to play constructive football but kicked wildly as soon as they had the ball.

In contrast to the harried Eastern St. Andrew's A CONTRAST backs remained caim and collected even under the greatest pressure. They offered a bulwark in which the attacking forwards could discern few toop-holes. As a result, Eastern had work few scoring opportunities. Nevertheless, the final score of 5-0 rather flattered the South China team because the Eastern forwards tried hard enough at times to deserve one goal at least.

the second half commenced did the bination by four goals to two.

very strong one indeed, as Eastern with their sticks.

can be realised. keeper, could not be blamed for the danger whenever she get within shots which beat him. All were shooting range. The attack was unvery fine efforts. The second goal fortunate, however, to run up against he might have saved; but Tang the C.B.A. pivot and captain, Miss I. Kwong-sum's shot was a deceptive Woolley, when she was in real form. one, curling back just enough to Miss J. Booker was also a tremendget under the ball.

SUEN BOTTLED the Eastern attack, was not allowed slowness in defensive work. to make his customary passes to his back on their own, the other four mences,

For the first 15 minutes of the were not nearly as effective as usual, game, the game was fast and in- capcelally Hau Ching-to, who had a teresting . Though South China very poor game. Twice, however, most of the time, he was in position to score but each

to the ball as it was sailing towards However, as soon as Kwok Ying- the goal-mouth and guided it past kee, an old Eastern player, had the out-stretched hands of the Eastscored with a header for South ern goalie. Ten minutes later, Tang China, the Eastern defence collapsed Kwong-sum sent in a curling shot end did not offer nearly as much from the right, which dipped sud-

Leading by 2-0 at half-time, South

(By "The Pilgrim")

The C.B.A. gave a magnificent display at King's Park last Saturday Several changes in position when to defeat a strong St. Andrew's com-Eastern team little good; as a matter There was a surprising transof fact, the defence seemed weak- formation in this game when both ened, for it was in the last 35 minutes; attacks in the second half found that South China over-ran their op- | their shooting form, six goals being scored during this period. With Loung Wing-chiu returning Saints had slightly the better of the to his old position in the centre, exchanges in the first half and flanked by Lau Hing-choi on the would have been at least two goals ing encounter by a goal to nil. right and Lee Kwok-wal on the left, to the good had Miss P. Gittins and South China intermediate line was a Miss E. Churn been more accurate

established in midfield paved the their victory very largely to Mrs. M. season a good send-off. way to their comfortable victory. White, their brilliant leader. In sang was at his best at left back and the Saints' defence to complete the knitted together from the first blow first half to earn full points, no mat-Mak Sul-hon seldom kicked wildly "hat trick." Miss M. Booker was of the whistle and within five tor what happened in the later as he is prone to do, the enormity of responsible for the fourth. The the task before the Eastern forwards Snints' new inside-left, Miss A. Greiner, who scored both their goals, Lau Hing-hon, the Eastern goal- was most energetic and threatened ous worker at right half, Miss

On their showing on Saturday, the as soon as he had the ball. Thrown combination before the season com- their first-time clearances.

. An exciting moment in front of the Eastern goal in yesterday's First Division League match at Caroline Hill between Rastern and South China "A." Hitherto unbeaten, Easiern went down with a crash, conceding five goals without reply. Lau Hing-hon, the Eastern goal-keeper, is here shown jumping high for the ball from a corner kick. The Eastern attack could do little against the golid defence presented by the Chinese halves and full-backs .- Staff Photographer,

RECREIO SCORE CLOSE VICTORY OVER Suggestion to Umpires By "The Pilgrim" THE C.B.A.

First Match Played In H.K.H.A. Tournament

(By "The Pilgrim")

In the first Hongkong Hockey Association Tournament game of the season, the Club de Recreio, on their home ground at King's Park yesterday morning, defeated the C.B.A. in a fast and interest-

found to their cost. The superiority However, the C.B.A. dominated Supporters turned up in force to were too often caught out of position. On resumption, the "Y" had most 17, which the South China half-backs play in the second half and owed give the first match of the present Their covering also was faulty.

the goal-mouth by J. Soares, on the Ozorio were consistent in the attack. right wing, was intercepted by H. J. Soares, on the right, was the most Ozorlo, who made no mistake in impressive winger. W. A. Reed. as finding the net with a rising shot.

other end and Bickford, from a Marques, at right half, was grand corner hit, only missed his mark by throughout. Young V. Ribeiro, inches. G. Fowler in turn sent in a goal, was a big success with his hefty terrific first-timer which crashed kicking. lagainst the upright and rebounded into play. Luck seemed to be Peggy Everest was splendld at right against the C.B.A. sharp-shooters, escapes in the closing stages. Recreio, line of defence. Buen Kamishuen, the "brains" of back and made up for her partner's There were times in the second half the winners, defeated well, but were when the C.B.A. seemed certain to lucky to take both points. It was, draw level but Albert Rodrigues and however, a hard-fought-game, and colleagues but was tackled first time C.B.A. should develop into a strong E. L. Gosano gave little away with in my opinion, the C.B.A. were worth

ERRATIC SHOOTING

G. Fowler, as leader of the attack, was the best of the forwards. He showed he was no believer in the "get rid of the ball at any price" theory. His dribbling ought to have yielded better results but like the rest of the line, he could do nothing right at close quarters. Stan Mac-Nider, at right half, gave a poor display and was content to Join the

both teams were at full strength. Taylor, though they played well, to find his mark.

So far as hockey skill was con-The fast-moving Recreio attack cerned, the Rees did enough in the pivot, came into prominence during Play was soon transferred to the the second period of the game and

Y. M. C. A. REVEAL FINE FORM

second half. N. Whitley was the ground at King's Park last Saturday, quicker-thinking team.

In his weekly hockey notes on Thursday, "The Pilgrim" will write on "Suggestions to Umpires." He can be relied upon to give some useful suggestions; so, players and umpires, be on the look-out!

They scored three goals without reply against the Radio and Postal Sports Club.

tween the sides in the first half Just when everything seemed over noon. The Footballers will be rehave levelled the score through carried them to level terms. Singles To-morrow the visitors will go to Pyara Singh but on two occasions, on the 16th and 17th, a two on the Government House to play against

of the play and their forwards, Bartlett, Kraus and Rose, were more convincing. Rose got the second goal with a terrific first-timer just within the circle, Lim being beaten all the way. A-few-minutes later. Bartlett, by clever anticipation, added the third.

Dawson was as usual a success at centre-half, intercepting centres in one to watch than the Second Intergreat style. Rose at inside left was port, though not as consistently the best forward and was always an exciting as the First. Nevertheless alert opportunist. Kempton, the there were some constantly-changing right half, was also outstanding and heads which kept the interest alive full of energy, always getting the even when the Shanghai men were better of Dunn and Jangeer Singh, piling up their points in the middle Both goals had several narrow Starbuck and Taylor formed a solld stages of the encounter.

WEAK RADIO ATTACK

sixes and sevens, with Dunn and hai men pulled together a little bit Awter Singh below their usual better than the Hongkong players. standard. The forwards battered in vain against a strong defence but the preity stickwork and individual play Shanghal. When Wallace drove the now a doubtful rider in the got them nowhere. M. H. Hassan as jack into the ditch to score four on Cesarewitch.-Reuter. pivot was in the limelight with his cool defensive work, and was well supported by Kitchell on his right. J. Singh and M. Singh were notable for long and haphazard clearances without respect for direction or

Most agreeable to their supporters | The Radiomen, as a team, indeed spectators in watching his team play was the surprising form which the gave a rather poor display, but they from the side-line throughout the Y.M.C.A. showed on their home were up against a well-balanced and

SERIES ANNEXED BY SHANGHAI

Hongkong's Recovery Made Too Late In The Match

(By "Abo")

Shanghai clinched the Interport Lawn Bowls series on Saturday by winning the third match against Hongkong on the Club de Recreio green. They tied the first match at 20-20, won the second easily by 30-10 and the third by 20-17.

opponents' total and when the last another occasion, on the 18th when end was played, Shanghai led only Hongkong were lying four, Wallace, by 19-17. Unfortunately for Hongkong, J. A. slight wick.

Jumps High INTERPORT LAWN BOWLS

da Luz, the lead, threw the jack into the ditch in his effort to make it a long head, and K. L. Swartzell, his unable to save the four after the opposite number in the Shanghal jack had been taken down to the rink, promptly rolled the jack only ditch. Except for the first shot, the just past the flag for a very short others were two yards away, but in

out. Shanghal had revelled on the one of which was when he picked short heads, and Hongkong seemed out a Shanghai wood to give his side more at home on the long ones. And lave on the 19th head. true to the form displayed earlier on, Shanghai managed to score on this last vital head, taking a single to win by 20-17.

NOT RELIABLE

Many people had regarded the Hongkong rink, comprising J. A. da Luz, F. X. M. da Silva, C. G. Silva and U. M. Omar (skip) as the best of the three Hongkong rinks, partly because the first three were playing on their own green. Peculiarly enough, however, it was Omar who gave the best performance of the four. The other three were not as reliable as had been expected.

After their win in the Second Interport, it was only natural that Shanghal would again rely on K. L. Swartzell, J. M. C. Lopes, A. M. Gutterrez and Hugh Wallace (skip) to carry them through. Once again, these four did not let the side down.

Playing very well together, especially in the first 15 heads, the the 20th made the Hongkong score

However, in the last head, Lopes put one wood two inches in front of the jack, and despite all the efforts of the Hongkong men, the wood remained the shot until the end.

ALWAYS INTERESTING

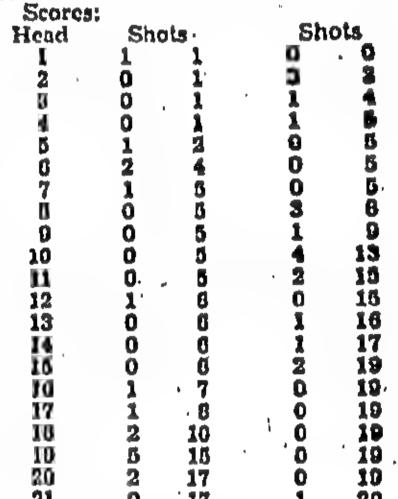
The game was a very much better

Hugh Wallace and U. M. Omar. the two skips, were the outstanding players, both being often in the The Radio attack was often at limelight. On the whole, the Shang-

Whatever luck there was went to following a motor accident. He is

At one stage of the encounter on the tenth head, he was aided by a Saturday, Shanghai led by 19-6, but slight wick which changed the the local players made a great raily direction of his wood just sufficient to get to within two shots of their ly for him to carry the kitty. On with his last wood, was somewhat lucky to save two, helped by another

Omar failed badly when he was his anxiety to draw first shot, he came up too heavy. On the other The green was very fast through- hand, he played several lovely woods,



RINKS CHOSEN

The Shanghai players will visit the There was not a great deal be- Shanghai men ran away to a 19-6. Hongkony Fcotball Club this afterwhen the home team met with suc- bar the shouting, Hongkong staged a presented by J. S. Howell, G. Dun-, cess through Kraus. Radio should magnificent recovery which all but can, E. Tuck and W. Gill (sk'p). The weather was glorious and best half and the backs, Bond and with Benwell at his mercy, he failed 18th, a five on the 19th and two on H. E. The Governor's team. The

Shanghai H. E. The Governor K. L. R. Swartzell E. S. Carter W. J. MacDermott J. Deakin (skip)

Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith Hon. Mr. A. I., Shields J. W. Brierley

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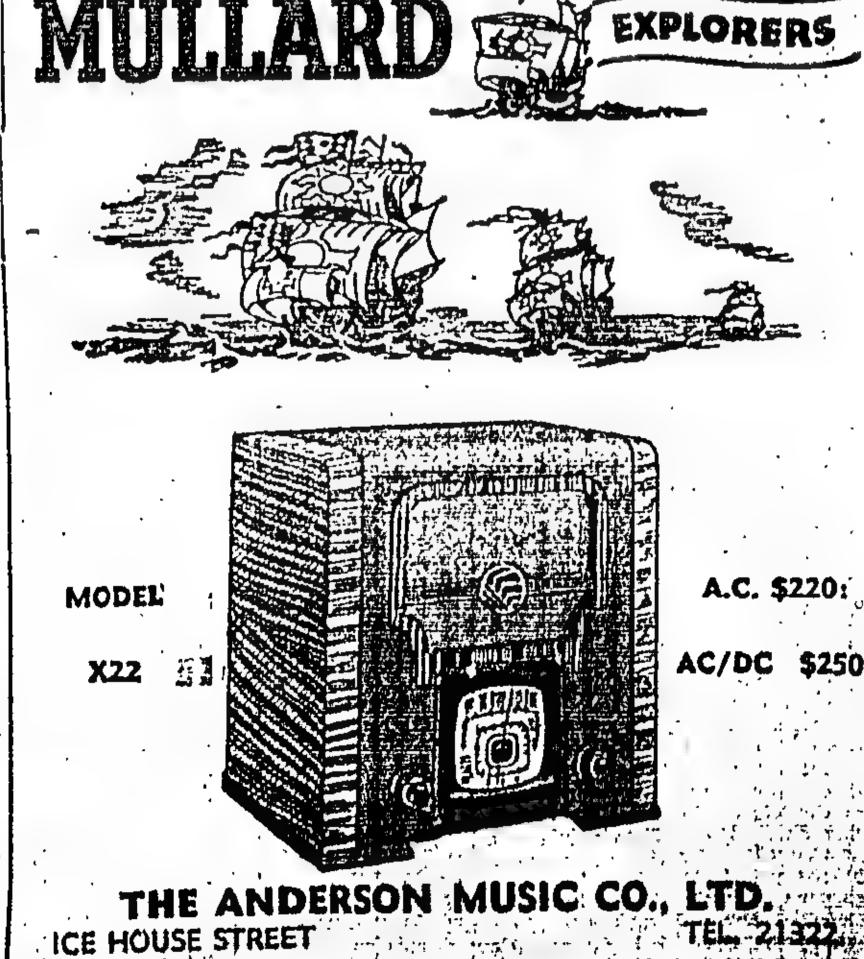
JOCKEY HURT IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

The well-known jockey, Maher has been admitted to the Cambridge Nursing Home with scalp wounds





Mr. R. P. Phillips, who ampired the Third Bowls Interport on Saintay on the Club de Recreto green, is measuring for the shot on one of the heads, while the either players look on. Shanghai led by 19-6 at one stage of the game and won only by 20-17 in the end.—Stag Photographer.



CLUB UNFORTUNATE IN RUGGER MATCH AGAINST. THE NAVY

Bidwell Absent And Chadwick Injured In Opening Minutes

(By "Fly-Half")

The Navy defeated the Club by 22 points (two goals and four trics) to nil at Causeway Bay on Saturday; but the game was of very little help in ascertaining the respective strength of the two

Neither scrum half rose above

mediocre. E. C. Luscombe was slow

wing-forwards always on top of him.

STUCK TO TASK

attacked and were rewarded with a

try by Askwith which Elliot conver-

ted. Boddington, Wells, Darling,

Ogle and Elliot added further tries

Thatcher (Eagle) Shipt, Staples

Stoker (Medway); Lt. Darling (Mcd-way), Lt. Ogle (Phoenix), Lt.

(Continued from Page B)

been in progress for 25 minutes, and

before the final whistle blew, Fung

King-cheung rubbed it in to Eastern

South China "A" .- Pau Ka-ping;

Mak Sul-hon, Lee Tin-sang; Lau

Hing-choi, Leung Wing-chiu, Lee

Kwok-wni; Tang Kwong-sum, Lai

Eastern. - Lau Hing-hon; Wong

Chor-yln, Hau King-shing, Lo Wai-

Boddington (Medway) ...

First Time

with a fifth.

and Hau Ching-to.

Teams:

(Engle); L/S. Webb (Daring), S.B.A

points on one occasion.

to go too high when tackling.

Talbot was missed by the

services of H. D. Bidwell, the cap- splendid retrieving. taln and star three-quarter. His None of the wings had long runs, drawn with honours very evenly first-time tackling and powerful all the tries being scored from within divided. thrusts might have made all the the twenty-fives. Wells, on the Navy left, is a strong runner with difference to the result.

It was also very unfortunate for exceptional turn of speed. the opening minutes of the game, who did not once get past him. through a shoulder injury received when he was tackled in full flight. There is a probability of his injury keeping him out of the game for to get round to the base of the scrum

some time. The brilliance of Lieut, Elliot, playing at stand-off half, aided by constant backing-up, was the cause of Navy team. Club's defeat. Lieut. Elllot sidestepped his vis-a-vis time and again to leave his three one man over and movement.

CLEVER RUN

dividual runs with the one made by obviously tiring that the Navy into the wicketkeeper's hands. W. E. Grieve outstanding. Coming hooked with any regularity. In the into possession in his own half, he loose mauls, the Navy pack was weaved his way through the Navy superior, getting the ball out on most forwards and halves, only to be occasions. tackled on the opposing "twenty-five" and with no one backing up to With the Navy preferring serums receive his pass. It was the best run to line-outs, very little line-out play of the day and it was a pity it was was seen and in this department the not put to adantage by his team- honours went to Navy. In the loose,

the Navy forwards over-ran the Club Of the full-backs on view, Lieut, men who were inclined to tackle high. Stevens was the better although he Outstanding in the Navy pack were was seldom called upon to tackle, Ogle, Boddington and Darling; and His positioning and fielding and in the Club lot were Taylor, Bompas, touch-kicking were all that could be Richardson and Salter. desired. W. M. MacGrath was frequently caught out of position but'

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It will be very surprising if the Hongkong Cricket Club do not have a lot to say about the second division cricket championship this senson. Barring loss of players through aceldents or other elecumstances, the Club promise to turn out one of the best balanced sides in the division, judging by their display against the Club started the same without the more than made up for it by his K.C.C., at Cox's Road on Saturday, when a high-scoring game was left

A. C. Beck turned out for the side in this match, but the team can hardly expect to enjoy his services as the Club to lose G. K. Chadwick in proved a match for D. H. Stewart, he is booked for the senior eleven. Nevertheless they will have Stoker, who did not play on Saturday, bolater the attack, which already is quite varied and hostile with Fox. Divett, Bond and Bishop to aid Skipper Erle Mitchell.

Bishop, in fact, promises to be their best all-rounder. He scored a glorious half-century on Saturday, and although not so successful with the ball, did flight it eleverly at times, Credit must be given to the Club and when he struck a length needed generally a forward to complete the pack for the way they stuck to their careful watching. He was capable task despite playing one man short. of making the batsmen reach for the K. W. Salter hooked well and it was ball just outside the off stump, and not until well into the second half he forced Bertram Lay into the most Club had one or two clever in- when the Club forwards were frantle of strokes which put the ball

VERY TIMELY 50

But his best contribution to the game was as timely a half century as any side could wish for. Club were not in a particularly happy position when he came in having lost six ling at him. wickets for 80 runs. But Bishop immediately dominated the bowling, punishing anything on the off which was not ideal in length with tremendous drives, which put the ball Right from the whistle, Navy gems of a splendid knock.

Lers spectacular, but very sound in flighting the ball. and correct, was the innings of 40 by R. M. M. King, who appeared battery of seven bowlers, only Beck for Navy with Wells adding the extra booked for his 50 when Lay got past looked really dangerous. But he a hitherto rigid defence. King open- was imclined to be "all over the ed the innings and was eighth man shop," and sent down only about a Stewart on the Club wing found out, having defied the bowling for dozen really good balls. Mackay Wells hard to pass and was inclined an hour and three-quarters. H. J. D. hooked and cut his high bouncing Lowe was another who treated the ones short of a length with splendid K.C.C. bowling in envaller manner, Judgment. The teams were: Club 1st XV:-hitting up a quiels 35, while late in the innings, veteran R. S. W. Paterson entered to show that he had lost little of his well-known skill with the but, and helped himself to

Lay also kept the runs down at the to score quick runs. wicket, the K.C.C. attack is likely to be somewhat innocuous this year.

REFRESHING BATTING

Set to score 160 to win in 105 minutes, Kenneth Baxter and left handed Mulcahy set about the task with evident relish. Mitchell did not use Beck at the start and in half an hour Baxter and his captain had put 50 on the board. Beck came on to slow down the rate of scoring after the 80 had been hoisted, and he quickly got Mulcahy's wicket with a lovely ball. Baxter had lost his wicket just before by hitting an ordinary ball from Bishop into Bond's hands at forward mid-on. His 54 the resumption and were rewarded was made in very quick time and when Lai Shiu-wing found the net was featured by some grand stroking on the offside of the wicket. He with a terrific drive from close range. The same player gave South China a 4-0 lead after this half had claimed nine boundaries.

. Mulenhy's 33 was slightly more painstaking though he helped to maintain a rate of scoring of nearly two runs a minute. After their dismssal the Club obtained some cheap wickets, but Gray hit vigorous-ly, and found the boundary eight times in a knock of 37. The home side was never in danger of deteat, and when stumps were drawn had scored 154 for 7, with Madar and

Shiu-wing, Fung King-cheung, Kwok Ying-kee and Law Tau-man. Luke still in possession, Beck bowled only five overs, but Wing-hong, Miu Wah-kwok; Ho was effective enough to make three of these maidens and to take one kuen; Lee Tak-kee, Chau Man-chi, wicket for ten runs. Lowe bagged Suen Kam-shuen, Soong Ling-sing three wickets for 37 and Bishop had two for 25.

Club Shows Norman Mackay Scores Century For K.C.C. Against Volunteers

(By "Veritas")

Cricket at its best was enjoyed at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday, when, under ideal conditions, and on a perfect wicket, with an outfield as fast as an ice-skating rink, a K.C.C. eleven beat the Volunteers by two wickets.

Five and a half hours of play produced 432 runs for the total loss of 18 wickets, and of these, Norman Mackay had the distinction of scoring

It was an innings punctuated by some dazzling off-drives, powerful hooks and pulls, and one or two re-markably, "If-y" shots, one of which should have lost him his wicket when he had scored 30, and another when he had passed the 60 mark. Nevertheless, in view of the array of bowlers he faced, and the fact that quick runs were essential if the K.C.C. were to win, his knock stands as an outstanding achievement. SO IN 30 MINUTES

His innings occupied two hours of actual batting, the brightest part being his first 50 which he collected in half an hour by hitting eleven boundaries. After tea he was subdued, but he scored another eight 4's ere he was caught behind the wicket off Beck, whose short bumping balls were hostile, but which lacked

. The Volunteers' innings did not contain the same fireworks, but several batsmen made useful contributtons in an interesting manner. Griffiths was strong on the leg side in compiling 46, though he was terribly uncomfortable against Whitmarsh, who was the most impressive of the home bowlers, maintaining an excellent length and turning the ball sufficiently to keep the batsmen play-

Souza made his 32 in stylish and effortless manner, Perry batted skilfully for his 31 and Pereira hit hard to amass 33 not out.

plone E. A. Bompas, c Anderson b Whitmarsh Whitmarsh and Sargent through the covers at lightning bothered the batsmen. Both con- G. E. Divett, st. Mackay b Sargent ... speed on a very fast outfield. Seven centrated on length which paid A finely hit boundaries, and a five, the handsomely. Whitmarsh was also A. P. Pereira, not out result of an overthrow, were the fast off the pitch, while Sargent de- w

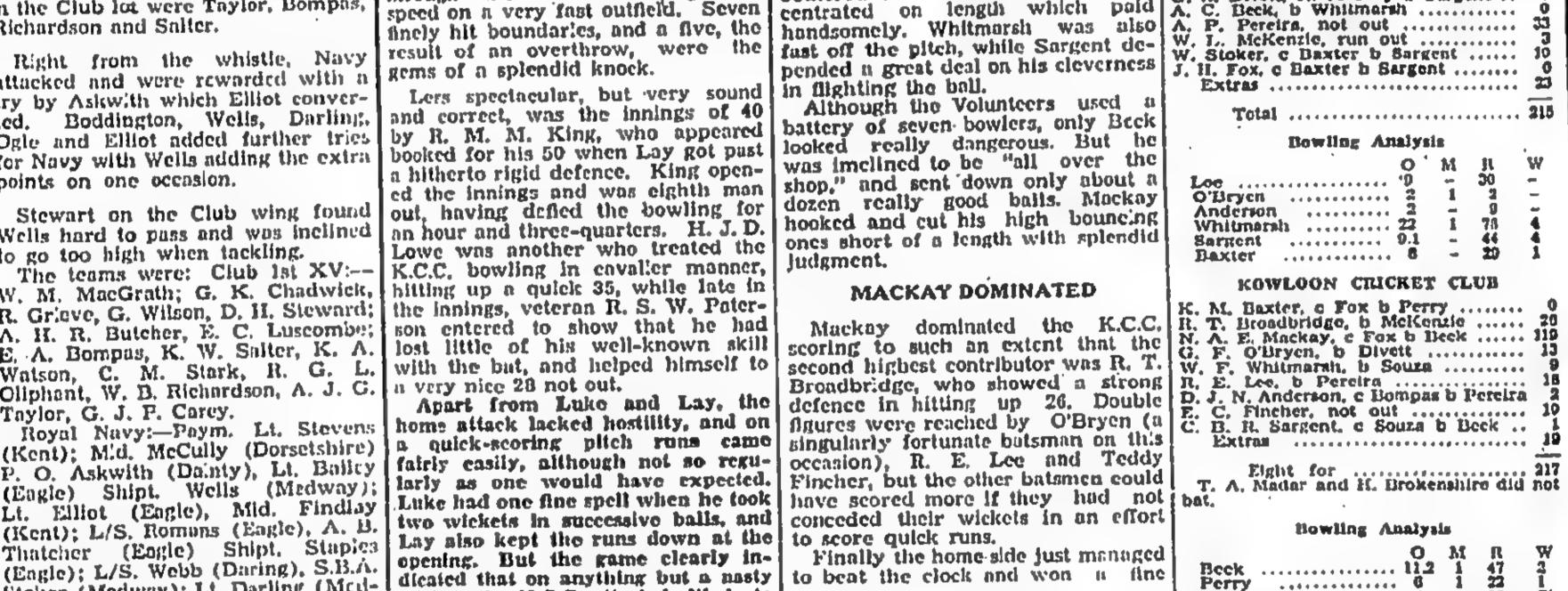
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MACKAY DOMINATED

second highest contributor was R. T. W. F. Whitmarah, b Souza Sports Club; and the Stables, (Eagle) Shipt. Wells (Medway); larly as one would have expected. Fincher, but the other batsmen could Luke had one fine spell when he took have scored more if they had not bat. two wickets in successive balls, and conceded their wickets in an effort

opening. But the game clearly in- Finally the home side just managed dicated that on anything but a nasty to beat the clock and won a fine Scores: "

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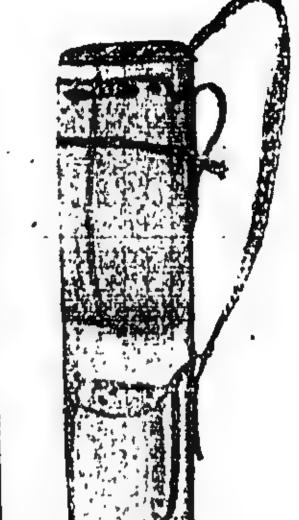
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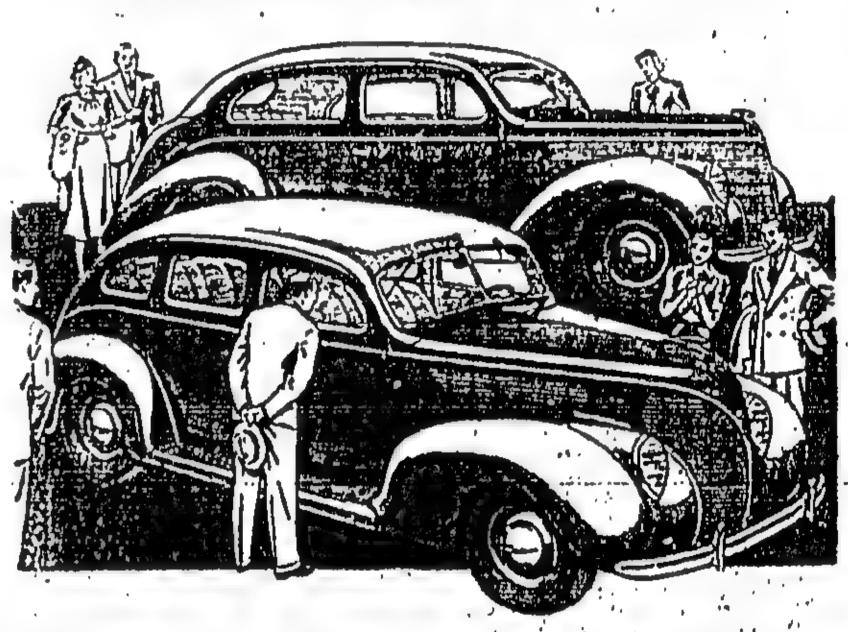
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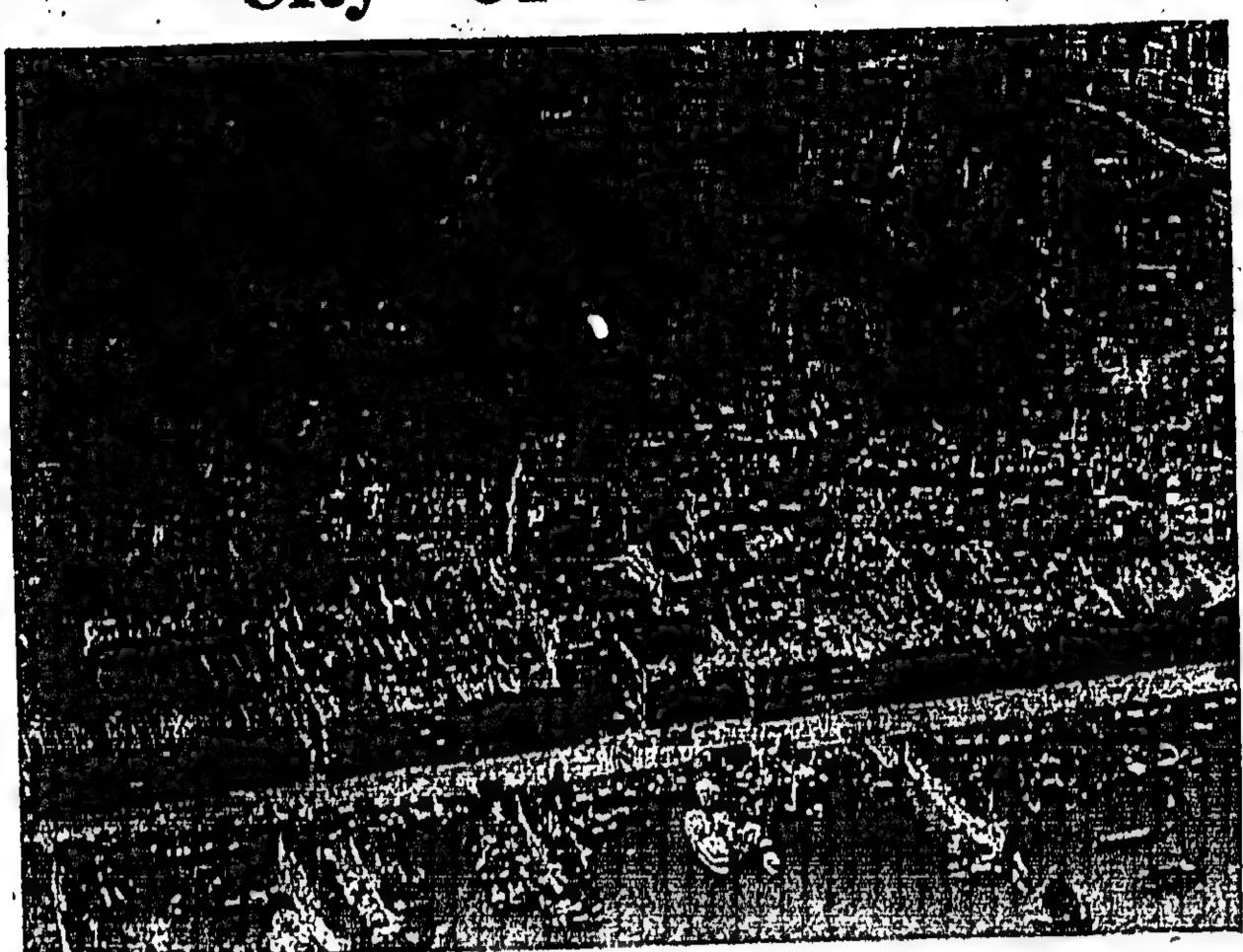






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city affords practically no space for and if you like to step into the Then we proceeded to the real cultivation. But terraced on those flower market you can choose business of the day. Suppose, I hills are beautiful homes. Every between clumps of fragrant white said, that we at this table were the night with the coming of dusk the ginger, lotus, wild gardenias, and great council of China, what would hills become radiant with light, a the tiny pink flowers strung on long you do?

fairyland of colour like the Chinese carling branches called the chain of Like a flash came the answer, force the wealthy to give their lewel trees in the curlo shop win- love.

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Even before the Japanese-Chinese conflict the city had become one of the great ports of the world and the grown folk are in great contrast slon why don't they help China now to rices on the shore to protect it. Now with the money-making which accompanies war the city is even accompanies war the city is even more prosperous.

that this is not China. In a sense, In the city I have dired with against war. Wasn't that so." of course, it is not. The British ad- Lulu Wong, Anna May Wong's sisministrators have instituted many ter, herself well known in the wes- tion too, I said. If Chinese women reforms which are western, and tern theatre world, and have gone were in power would they stop that underneath my windows at the Pen- with her to a Chinese play where form of minor but accepted graft insula Hotel is the starting point of the property man wearing a singlet that in the Far East is "squeeze." the longest continuous railway line trotted about, the actors addressed in the world on which you might the audience in long dialogues, one man beings, men and women, were travel to the English Channel in of the women players in a chiffon pretty much alike. But most of three weeks. That is, you might if robe embroidered with sequins them believed that women would

much Chineso atmosphere. The for-corner of the stage squealed and eigners are definitely in the minor- banged away, the wings were One of them advanced the opinion ity. There is the constant clop, clop crowded with watchers (some of that women want little beyond a few of heelless shoes on the pavement, them crying babies), the audience dresses and some jewelry, and "not Rickshas are the popular means of cracked numpkin and melon seeds, the millions that men can spend in conveyance. The harbour is thronged down in front of the stage intent Chinese women with golden sailed sampans and on the performance. "squeeze" exists, she like the Yoshimiles beauty hitchens like the Mochimileo boats purveying the most enjoyable was a luncheon years on airplanes and ammunitions food to the pleasure bonts and to the with seven Chinese women where for defence and where are those alrepeople from the swimming clubs, of we talked Trankly and as friends. planes and those ammunitions now?" which there are many; For the Since what we said might not be We talked more of what women Chinese, both men and women, have altogether acceptable in some are doing in China to-day, one ca taken to the water, together and in quarters I shall not name my the guests remarking that "before western, suits, some of the clubs hostess, other than to say that she the war it was the Chinese women having as many as 500 members.

CHINESE QUARTERS

old-time dress. But for the most frank conversation. their trousers for long straight the first to come to maturity with brain as a man and we can do the

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Staff Writer of The Christian Science Monitor

over on the mainland where the planes, everything to win the war. New Territories jut toward Canton. The women wanted to ask me a

TALKS WITH WOMEN

the way were not blocked by fighting flourished an American cotton hand-be more honest in public life than he north. But In another sense the city has colours, the orchestra from one

I have done many things. But haven't we been spending money for presides over one of the great who sat about hotel lobbies and now Chinese houses of Hongkong, and I it is the Chinese men." They agreed , shall further protect her by adding that they would not return to their A 186W billio Chinese wear the that she did not contribute to the old secluded existence for anything

dresses, slashed, on both sides half unbound feet and of the place they same work."
way to the knees of the are taking in politics, of the "alley- As we walked out through the

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Chinese war orphans. MENU SERVED

We flourished our chopsticks over a meal which was just a little snack, I beginning with sharks' fins in combs, I fried prawns, and eastern meion in lear road to southern China.

The 11-mile island with its ridge You can buy everything from ly imperial yellow sides carved by

There is another bit of old China money and buy ammunition and air-

swer that. If we women actually were a council all of us should be I would like to ask a "rude" ques-

Some of them thought that hu-

"squeeze" 'exists, she 'added, "for in the world. In the words of one part the men have doffed their long. We talked of the tremendous pro- woman, "Why should we be pressed robes for trousers, and; we women gress of this generation of women, down? We have the same kind of

A few blocks from the big tourist way education" in which they have garden, the Chinese women in their hotels are typical Chinese quarters, volunteered to teach children, of flowered dresses like butterfiles crowded streets lined with open their presence at the front as hovering over the great blue pots of shops and hung with masses of soldiers and first aid workers, and flowering zinnins I believed what I posters. The letter writers do bust- of the relief associations. One of have been hearing during all of my ness along the pavement, as do the these, the Hongkong Chinese Wo. stay in Hongkong, "The women are dentists with their booths: hung men's Soldiers Relief Association, China to-day," and I was glad that with long strings of the teeth they was started within the year by eight I had come all these thousands, of presumably have pulled. The for- women and now has more than 2,000 miles if only to see them burst the tune tellers elbow the chiropodists, members each paying a Hongkong chrysalis of tradition and habit and

Gilbario and Louise Brigard, who have grown up at a school in France are brought home by their father to his plantation in pro-Cluil War Louisiana. Gilberie, called Froufrou by everyone, is completely a child in thought and action. Her only aim in life is to visit New Orlouis and marry some splendid husband who can dence, duel and buy her fine jewels. Froufrou handed her shawl and cloak to Pick.

"Take those," she whispered. "I'm going to watch the party for a minute."

She darted forward, up the steps and slipped along the balcony to an opth Fronch window, at which stood a table set with two glanses and a bottle of champagne. She dropped into the chair, picked up the glans, filled it and drank it as if it were water. Then, her shows on the table, her face cupped in her hands or New Orleans. Madame Vallaire, a neighbor, announces she is going to New Orleans for some dental work. Froufrou, longing to make the trip, insists she, too, has a toothache.

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MIDNIGHT ADVENTURE

Middams Valiairo's carriage, its
blinds drawn, bumped over the
rough roads leading to New Orleans, Frontrou lifted the shades
and peered engerly into the night.
"We're somewhere!" she announced excitedly. "Look—there's
a church."
Louise looked out the window. MIDNIGHT ADVENTURE

Louise looked out the window. "Yes, that's the Chapel of Sainte Catherine."

a low "yes."

ders, Fraufron, with Pick close behind, crept out of the room and

came suddenly upon her. He stopped in surprise, his face very evidently indicating the fact that he could not place her.

evening? he asked pleasantly and mt down in the chair next to hers. Froutrou looked up in autonish-

out who she was,

"I'm trying to remember your "The one you told me about?"

Cried Froufrou. "Where everyone goes to pray for a husband?"

Louise sent a timid glance toward Madame Vallaire, and noting the other's named smile, ventured pose you tell me yours, again."

Instead of answering she mo-Pick, Frontrou's personal slave, tioned toward the room where the opened her eyes wide. "Ah byeard guests were dancing. "If I tell



of dat Ste Cahterine," she said you—will you dance with me? Just breathlessly. "Day sin't nothin she once — no — twice — around the cain't do, from healing what alls room?" you to gitting you a husband. Ah sim to burn a candle to her mah- "But for a moment," she

the time comes, Pick." "But it ain't a husband Ah the dance floor. "But it ain't m numbers de "You ha wants," protested Pick. "It's de he said. kinks took out of mah hair." They laughed with delight but Froutrou stopped short and cried: "The carriage has stopped-" Madame Vallaire nodded. "We've arrived," she explained.

The coachman opened the door. Pick jumped out and Madame Valinire, Froufrou and Louise followed. From the windows of the great name?" house before them rang the sound

happily. "Jost listent" "You're Madame Vallaire!" Valiniro remarked drily. "It's a party!" orled Frontron head to kiss her.
ecstatically and she hurried shead She turned in dismay. "I must toward the half open gate. "We're go-Oh-I must gojust in time! Shall we go up and put on our party dresses-or shall we go in the way we aro?"

Suddenly a man ran through one of the long windows, a girl in his manded in astonishment. arms. The girl screamed prettily "You don't have to come with and released herself. He ran after me. I know my way to my room," her, caught her in his arms and she said quickly, and darted out kissed her. Madame Vallaire turned the window, onto the balcony, down to her coachman, her face livid the steps, across the garden and with rage and indignation. "Find someone to take care of called for Pick and her volce awoke

tm," she ordered, "And Monsieur Louise, Andre is not to be informed." She "Gilbertel" cried Louise, "where pointed the way to the rear door. have you been?" "Mademoiselle Gilberte, you'll nei- "To church-oh, what fun!" ther change your dress nor go in as you are ... We start back early atopped her short, temorrow morning." "Start back home?" Froutrou's outside her door was Andre's. eyes fliled with tears. "Ob. Madama!"...

unhered her sister and Pick up the Bweet!" In their room, Frontrou and Pick theirs burst open. "What's all this whispered disconsolately, "If I hubbub?" demanded Madame Valcould just go down and look in," laire. "Andre! What are you doing sighed Froutron. "We won't even git to ax Sta. -Andre - stared at her blankly. Catherine anything," muttered "Mamma, I was looking for you-

"Oh but I want a husband," whis- : "Madama Vallaire opened the door pered Broufrou desperately. "No of the girls room and stuck in her girl has any fun until she's mar head. "We leave New Orleans for ried. I must burn a candle to Sainte your father's plantation tomorrow," Pick gazed at her with pleasant ing the door with a sudden bang,

Frontrou stared back with danc- And Andre, returning eventually ing eyes. "Why not? Even Madame to his room, awakened his servant Vallalte couldn't find fault with us Brutus. for going to church.".

of dress to church, is you, Missy?" Pick was plainly soundalised. "Why not?" Froutrou whispered

Hardly daring to breathe, they dressed by the light of a single candle. Then, throwing a closic and sourf over her head and shoul-

"You want to dance? Splendid!"

Frontrou eyed her severely. "Papa got to her feet unsteadily, suddenly and I will find you a husband when coling the champagne. He put his arm about her and ushered her to "You haven't told me your name."

"Froutrou." "Froufrou? That's not a name-"It's my name." "And is it the only one I'm to "Yes-can you remember it?"

"I can never forget it." "Now," she amiled. "What's your "Well-I'm the man who's giving of music and laughter. the party."

"Dey's still up," Pick shricked She stared at him incredulously.

"You're Monsieur Vallaire? Andre "Righti" he laughed and bent his

"Where?" he asked. "Upstairs-to bed-" She resled allghtly. . "What do you mean?" he deinto the house. In her room, she

A sudden knocking at the door

"Froutrou!" the voice calling from "Oh," cried Louise, "this is dis-"Gliberte!" warned Louise stern- "Frourroul" Insisted Andre,

ly, and with a strong hand, she pounding at the door, "let me in, The door of the room next to

What a surprisoshe announced saverely, then, closalarm, "Tonight?" . she asked, she pulled her son into her own And Andre, returning eventually

"Who are those young ladies with the room to make certain that Brutus rubbed his eyes sleepily. Louise was soundly asleep. Then, "Seems lak dey's do nice little Brine pantomime, she ordered Pick to gard neighbor girls which has been open her value and pick out her living in France, all growed up," gayest frock.

Andre smiled. "Wa're leaving. New Orleans tomorrow morning. plantation.

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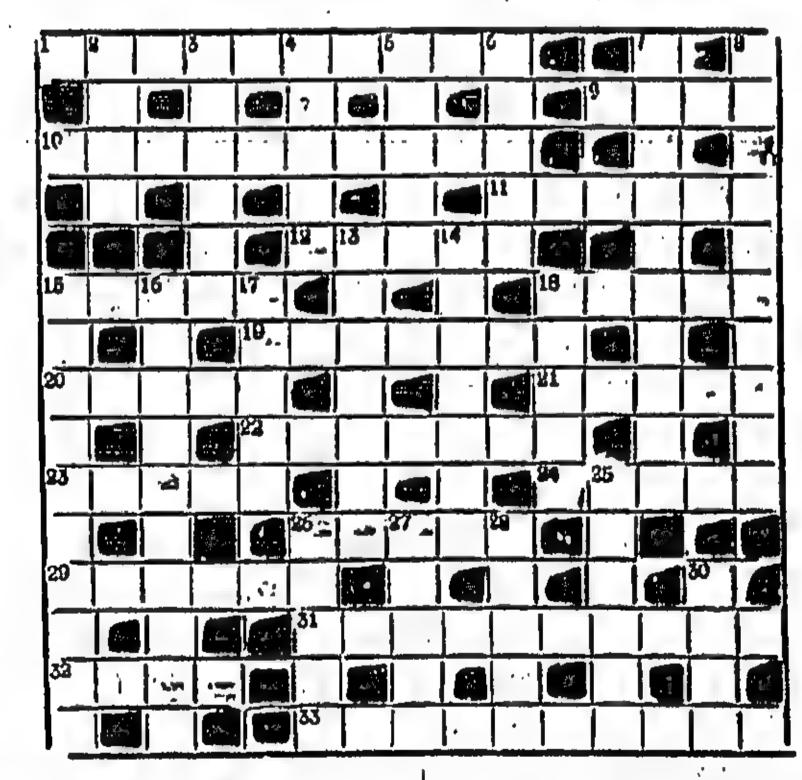
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all of it (10). 9 This goes out to sea and is mostly edible (4). 10 No gentleman, to give such teatable advice (10).

11 Half this river was a tribe living near it (0). 12 A bit of a rotten nuisance (5). 15 Most of this mixture is put in its proper place (5).

18 French town (5). 19 Taking it easy in the matter of having been nettled? (7). 20 The first person as subject (5). 21 A final letter (5).

22 Indict (7). 23 This ally is not to the front (5). 24 Give (5). 26 Most people are prone to go to this (5).

29 Ma died to make it (6). 31 The sun as it changes to a keen one (10). 32 Even ships don't have it (4). 33 Obsolete protection for war-

ships (two words-7, 3). DOWN 2 Flighty confession from an Eastern country (4).

3 Cut out mostly as a bird (6). 4 Shake out of 20 neross perhaps 5 Part of itself indeed (5).

6 A femous cricketer is indicated 7 is this sheet of water often ruffled by its head?, (10). The spectators in it like to see it at cricket (two words-0, 5)

13 One would probably be openmouthed at having this and its fellow closed (7)... 14 Employ (7).

15 The last two letters of this game implement may help to win the first six. (10). 16 In time even to start with (10). 17 More than the back is cheerless

18 It is hurtful but will vanish in any surrounding (5). 25 One of the blues (6).

26 If it did it was kept too long out of the sen! (5). . 27 Hardly an exclusive invitation 28 Fruity advice to gardeners (5).

30 To get mad about this is to deceive (4). SATURDAY'S BOLUTION

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little girls - cager

But when there's

work to be done

she's ready to de her shere with the other folk on

her father's farm

At four years o age she is able to

do most things on

the farm, She leeds the chickens.

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London Press Sees Hopes Of China Peace Detained

Must Suffer

London, Oct. 24. The possibility of an early move for peace in the Far East is the topic in several newspaper quarters this morning as the outcome of the fall of steerage passengers aboard the dealing with the Far East, ex-

there is world wide sympathy, but has not the time come to end this devastation? The abortive attempts at third-Power mediation and the failure of the Nine-Power conference Sydney and Melbourne were allowed to treat before Germany in Europe. than sympathy from Europe and station.
America, and her leaders should consider whether or not it is wise to seek means of ending the useless and prodigal expenditure of Chinese lives and treasure.

The Daily Telegraph gives prominence to an article by Edwin Haward, who expresses the opinion that the prospects of peace are not unfavourable, and who doubts whether the Japanese armies view equanimity a long guerilla campaign.

Their terms may be more onerous than those of last December, but they may be such as China, in her present plight, may honourably accept, says this writer. Japan may at the present, have more to gain by peace than China has to lose by continued resistance. That Japan will require full recognition of her dominance in he Far East is axiomatic.

HONGKONG'S POSITION

Mr. Haward continues: "Japan probably realises that dominance is more likely to come from a generous appeasement in this moment of triumph than from a long, drawn-out engagement of her troops in the rugged fastnesses of China's western hills. She has to consider too, the delicacy of her relations with the Western Powers."

Analysing the situation in Hongto maintain friendly relations with Bocca Tigris forts. Britain, and there is no reason to expeet any serious cause for friction, tions is said to have been effected although at the best there must be a grave interruption of Hongkong's only after "stubborn resistance." trading activities.

Having alluded to the refugee Mr. Haward says that the recent statements from Japanese sources suggest a desire to come to an underctanding with foreign countries, and to create a modus vivendi here and elsewhere. It is not easy to see how more than provisional adjustments can be made as long as the hostilities porsist. In Shanghal, the views of other governments, besides the British, must be taken into considera-

DISTANCE FLIGHT

Bombers Attempt To Set Record

London, Oct. 23. Four R. A. F. long-range Vickers Wellesley bombers are expected to leave to-morrow for Egypt, from where, if the weather is favourable, they will attempt a non-stop flight to Australia, flying in formation.

The bombers are expected to leave Upper Heyford, Oxfordshire, in the morning.

Refuelling arrangements in Egypt have already been made in readiness; for the greatest non-stop flight yet attempted by the Royal Air Force.

If successful, the flight, organised by Wing-Commander O. R. Gayford, will break; by about 1,000 miles, the present Russian record of 6,300 miles. -Reuter.

Kamo Maru But Hongkong's Trade At Brisbane

Passengers Inspected For Cholera

Japanese ship Kamo Maru, which presses the opinion that the The Dally Mail says that the called at Hongkong last Thurs- Munich agreement has stimusuggests serious defection on the snip to the Quarantine Station the East" policy across two Con-Chinese front. For tortured Canton while the vessel was at Brisbane, tinents, and says that Germany

at Brussels should convince China to rejoin the ship, the others had to that she can hope for nothing more stay several days at the quarantine

Bocca Tigris Forts Fall -Official

Shanghai, Oct. 24... It is officially announced that kong, Mr. Haward remarks that the Japanese army and naval forces Japanese lately have shown a desire have completed occupation of the

The capture of the fortifica----Renter.

Mr. Haward says that the recent Chinese Retreat Said To Be Cut Off

It is unofficially reported that the tion. The prospect of solving these Japanese claim to have reached problems on which there is some Kokintien, about 20 miles from Hansolidarity between the Vestern kow, advancing 20 kilometres during grave in the Westminster Abbey of

Powers may reasonably form a con-tributing factor to Japan's readiness. They occupied the They occupied the strategic town of Likiatsi, 45 kilometres by air from for peace with China,—Reuter.

Hankow, ant Japanese columns are striking southward from Honan, and are said to have threatened Aniu, the principal route..for the Chinese re-treat north-westward from Hankow with the capture of Kungtungchen ten kilometres west of Yingshan.—

Germany And Japan Hand In Glove

Remarkable Assertions Are Levelled

New York, Oct. 23. The Institute of Far Eastern

The announcement stresses that "Germany aims to support Japan inclosing up China, and reserving ex-clusive exploitation of rights by Japan and Germany, with Italy as a minor junior partner."

In proof of this the article cites Germany's march on Slovakin, together with the alleged liquidation of all direct affillation with independent China.

"If Japan wins, Germany will resume the Chinese market as Japan's illy" says the article.

It also draws attention to the fact that at the outbreak of hostilities Germany "turned from China to Japan with an eye to future economic returns. The firm of Otto Wolff, us late as 1937, loaned £2,000,000 to Manchukuo as the first instalment of a loan programme. The loans consist of deliveries of German equipment at an interest of 5.5 per cent. annually."

The article concludes: "During the Czech crisis Japan established the China Affairs Bureau as a protectorate in China, removing all Chinese pusiness to the Japanese foreign office. It is within the framework of such a protectorate that German-Japanese political-economic co-operation could best be realised and extended at the expense of the said Powers, just as they bowed to the threat of force in Europe."-

To Prove Shakespeare Is Bacon

New Investigation To Be Made

London, Oct. 23. A new attempt will very shortly be made to establish once and for all whether William Shakespeare was actually the Bard of Avon. The Dean of Westminster has just granted permission for an opening of the

It is confidently hoped that the tomb of the poet contains an orlginal manuscript of William Shakespeare in which it is revealed whether the Bard of Avon, Shukespeare contemporary, and Shakespeare are one and the same person. It is known that on the death of Spenser all leading British poets of the day wrote a poem in honour of "the

Prince of poets". The manuscript of this poem was then deposited together with the quill pen with which it was written in the poet's tomb in Westminster Abbey, before it was finally walled

'So at least declares the historian Camden, who was a contemporary of Spenser and whose statement has recently been investigated by the Bucon Society.

On the strength of these investigations, the Bacon society requested permission to open the grave of Spenser, and if possible, to recover the priceless manuscript dating from the year 1599.

It is hoped that a comparison of handwriting will serve to establish whether Shakespeare is Bacon .-Trans-Ocean.

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APPEAL TO PEOPLE General Wu Teh-chen Rallies Kwangtung

General Wu asked all people of

especially in eliminating traitors and undertaking war-time service. immediately join the self-defence trative efficiency to meet the mili-corps and those who have no guns tary situation.

should join the army. The rich it is learned that General Wu

The annual exhibition of the Hong-kong Art Club will be held at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Tuesday,

ART EXHIBITION

Rallies Kwangtung

An Undisclosed Place, Oct. 23.

An appeal to the people of Kwangtung to help the Government to continue resistance to the Japanese invaders was contained in a manifesto issued by General Wu Tehchen, Chulrman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government, yesterday.

John's Cathedral Hall on Tuesday, November 9, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Well-known local artists will exhibit their work, which will include Hongkong scenes, figures, and portrait studies executed in oil, water-colours and pastel.

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Kwangtung Provincial Government the province to do their best to help has been removed to an undisclosed the Government in the resistance, place in accordance with instructions. from the National Government and that it has mapped out a comprehen-"Those who have guns should sive plan for increasing its adminis-

should contribute their money," he called a meeting of the high officials rged.

Reminding them of Japanese atro- tung Provincial Government yestercities in North and Central China, and the haired the Japanese have particularly for them, General Wu stated that all people of Kwangtung should swear to fight them to the

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H.M.S. SANDPIPER

SPLINTERS DAMAGE SUPERSTRUCTURE, FORWARD DECK

Vangtse River Incident May Have Repercussions

CIX HEAVY TYPE JAPANESE BOMBERS CARRIED OUT AN ATTACK ON H.M.S. SANDPIPER SHORTLY AFTER DAWN THIS MORNING.

THE SUPERSTRUCTURE AND FORWARD DECK OF THE WAR-SHIP WERE STRUCK BY SPLINTERS FROM THE BOMBS, WHICH AP-PARENTLY FELL ALL AROUND THE SHIP BUT REGISTERED NO DIRECT HIT.

IT IS PRESUMED, ALTHOUGH THERE IS NO OFFICIAL MEN-TION IN THE REPORT, THAT THE ANTI-AIRCRAFT GUNS ABOARD THE SANDPIPER WOULD BE BROUGHT INTO ACTION IN DEFENCE OF THE VESSEL.

THE ATTACK WAS MADE IN THE SIANGKIANG RIVER NEAR CHANGSHA, CAPITAL OF HUNAN PROVINCE.

A "United Press" message states that the British naval authorities in Shanghai stated that "H.M.S. Sandpiper was apparently deliberately, attacked by the Japanese planes."

The Shanghai report states that several cabins and the superstructures were superficially damaged by six bombs.

Questioned regarding the "United Press" report, the naval authorities in Hongkong state that in the absence of detailed accounts of the incident, it cannot be said here whether the attack was deliberate or unintentional.

- Like all other British warships in the Far East, the British ensign was prominently painted on the superstructure and awning of the Sandpiper, and it seems hardly likely that it could not have been observed that the ship was British.

H.M.S. Sandpiper is a gunboat of 185 tons. She was commissioned at Shanghai five years ago and was then attached to the Yangtse Patrol.

150 SHIPS IN ARMADA OFF H.K.

What is probably the greatest armada of ships ever to appear it the waters of the Pacific was sighted morning.

informed that 150 ships were counted

by destroyers,

The vessels, mostly of the trawler Canton River delia.

It is presumed that they are supply slips proceeding from Blas Bay to the Pearl River with the object of taking supplies direct to the Japanese Army at Canton.

The fact that the ships have lost Yochow. their base in Blay Bay indicates that the Japanese warships have now cleared the boom from scross the 100 miles south of the Yangtse. Poarl River, and that reports that Bocca. Tigris forts have been evacuated are correct.

six-pounder.

of Shekko Beach, Hongkong, this among the complement of the gunboat.

It appears almost certain that international The "Telegraph" is authoritatively repercussions will be the outcome of the incident.

in the convoy, which was escorted JAPANESE CONSUL TOLD

Mr. Nakamura, Consul General for Japan in Hongkong, was type, were proceeding towards the informed of the incident by the Telegraph.

"I have had no report yet," he told Telegraph. Changsha is a Treaty port about 200 miles south of Hankow, bombs at Chenglingki. on the Canton-Hankow River.

It is on the west bank of the Siangkiang River, which drains into Tung Ting Lake and thence into the Yangtse at this time that the Kiang Hein was

. The Sandpiper was in the Siangkiang River at a point about Changsha on the Canton-Hankow

most incessantly in this area during the past week.

Chinese Leaders



WANG CHUNG-HUI

THOUSAND DIE: SHIP BOMBED

Terrible Japanese Atrocity In Yangtse River

Hankow, Oct. 23. A BOUT 1,000 PASSEN-GERS aboard Her armaments consist of one 3.7 inch gun and a pounder.

-pounder.

According to the last available Naval List the ship inder the command of Lt. Cride. W. E. I. Is also stated that Madame ing the resignation of Mr. A. Duff-Cooper, and the death of wounded when Japanese wounded when Japanese in Hongkong.

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> appeared over Changsha at asked. 10.05 in the morning, drawing | heavy fire from Chinese antiaircraft batteries. They flew northward to Paishui station, 40 miles north of Changsha on the Canton-Hankow Railway, where they dropped two bombs, causing slight damage to the railway track. After raiding Paishul, they pro-

ceeded to Yoyang, releasing several In the afternoon nine other planes again made their appearance over Yoyang and Changlingki. It was at

In H.K.

URING THE WEEK-END authoritative but unofficial Chinese sources reported that Messrs. Wang Chung-hui, Foreign Minister, and Wang Ching-wei, arrived secretly in Hongkong on Saturday morning. Efforts by the "Telegraph" to officially confirm these rumours

have met with no success. However, a "Telegraph" representative has statements from two Chinese who allege that they have already spoken to Mr. Wang Ching-wei in Hong-

The purpose of the visit to Hongkong, state the rumours, is in connection with peace negotiations.

The name of the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Kerr-Clarke-Kerr, has been freely mentioned as media-This part of the rumours, however, has been definitely quartied

firstly, by an official statement by the Ambassador to the "Telegraph" that he is not participating in any mediatory task and that he has seen neither hir. Wang Chung-hui nor Mr. Wang Ching-wei and, secondly, by the departure for Chungking of the Ambassador at midnight.

Support for the rumours that the the two Chinese leaders is, however, steamer Kiang Hsin of the forthcoming from United Press, which

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WANG CHING-WEI

NO MAJOR CHANGES IN CABINET

Premier Expected To Decide

LONDON, Oct. 23. A SWEEPING RECONSTRUC-

is under the command of Lt. Cridr. W. E. J. James, who was appointed on August 27, 1936.

The other officer aboard the ship is Lt. H. R. Rycroft, who was appointed in March last year.

It is officially announced that there were no casualties of the command of Lt. Cridr. W. E. J. James, who was appointed in March last year.

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Death Threat To Arabs Who Register Names

JERUSALEM, Oct. 23. THE RECENT GOVERNMENT order that an male inhabitanis over 16 years of age should register for cards of identity has resulted in the Arab leaders lesuing counter-orders to their countrymen, in which they declare that anyone known: Yunki station, 14 miles north of to have obtained one of these cards will be summarily shot dead.

Heavy Japanese aerial bombings have been carried out all-dropped, killing, and wounding more elements in the Arab peasantry, who but the flames were extinguished tincessantly in this area during the past week.

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Japan's Victory Turns to Ashes

CANTON, Oct. 24. IKE NAPOLEON in Moscow, Canton's unwanted guests found everything in their path turning to ashes during the week-

Entering the city with not more than two thousand men, the Japanese were helpless to stem the awful holocaust that is sweeping Kwangtung's capital from end to end.

The victor is fire-fires started after the Japanese entry into

The Japanese are almost gnashing their teeth in their

rage. They have no water to combat the menace of total destruction that now threatens to grasp their rich prize in the hour of their success. Just as they succeed in ending

one fire by dynamiting buildings and creating fire-breaks, the Chinese start another conflagration elsewhere. It is the greatest organised in-

cendlarism the world has ever known. While staid Shameen talpans and navat officers stripped to the waist and blackened by smoke and ashes, wage a guerilla war on the flames in the vicinity of the Anglo-Franch concessions in an attempt to prevent the conflagration from devouring the small island, Japanese officers are dis-consolately riding through the ruined

The only remaining inhabitants appear to be poverty-stricken (Continued on Page 5.)

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- When you get up, wipe off the skin food, splash your face with cold water or skin tonic.
- Barrier III. The St. of the Give your hair a thorough brush from the roots upwards (very soothing this).
- Give your nose a good blow and start making up, with an accent on the eyes, a smear of grease or eyeshadow on the lids, and a little rouge if you are pale now.
- Finally, squeeze the juice of a lemon in a glass of water and drink it slowly to get rid of that sick feeling that sometimes results from a good cry, and there you are, ready to face the whole world again.

Diana Gibson



Savoury Sweetbreads

THESE delicate portions of meat can be made into several excellent dishes. Sweetbrends must be and before cooking they should be soaked for several hours, changing the water occasionally.

This soaking cleanses them from the blood, makes them white, and renders them more delicate. After soaking, parboil for five minutes and immerse in cold water to blanch, Remove any pieces of sinew and gristle; wipe and press between two plates, to give better shape.

To stew sweetbreads, prepare as above, then lay in a saucepan and pour over some white stock, adding a little pepper, salt, and a pinch of powdered mace.

Simmer gently for, half an hour, then put in the oven to keep hot. Thicken the gravy with a little flour and butter, let it boll, and when smooth stir in a dish, add a descrispoonful of lemon juice to the gravy and pour over.

Roasted and Fried

.To roust call's sweetbreads, take a pair and prepare as described, then brush over with beaten egg, and roll in sensoned breadcrumbs.

Melt 1 oz of butter in the saucepan and sprinkle this over the coating of crumbs, and roll the sweetbreads in crumbs a second time. Now melt 2 czs of butter in a baking tin and put the sweetbrends in. rousting in a moderate oven for about half an hour, basting frequently with the butter. Dish. garnished with fried parsley, and serve with white sauce.

To fry lamb's aveetbreads, parboil, drain and press, and brush over with egg. Cover them well with breadcrumbs with a little pepper, salt; and chopped parsley mixed in for seasoning. Fry an appetising brown and serve with good gravy. When there are any cold sweetbrends over, to redress cut them into neat pieces, and stew them gently in some good brown gravy till they are hot quite through. Place on a dish, pour the gravy over, and garnish with fried sippets. A Tasty Pla

For sweetbread pie two pairs will be required. Prepare as above, then cut the sweetbreads into small pieces. Grease a fireproof dish. cover with breadcrumbs, and then add the sweetbreads.

liking with pepper and sait, sprinkle a little parsley over, finishing with breadcrumbs and dabs of butter, or, if preferred a pastry crust. Bake for from 25 minutes to half an hour. Sweetbread croquettes are very good. Prepare a pair of sweetbreads, and mince finely. Add half their weight of breadcrumbs, season with pepper, salt, a little nutmeg,

Cover with white sauce, season to

and a flavouring of grated lemon enough cream to moisten, for ten minutes. Then turn out to cool. bottle.) Form into small balls, dip in egg and breadcrumbs, and fry slowly the white sauce, then add the beaten in melted butter till browned. Drain | yolk and 11/2 oz of the grated cheese. and dry on a cloth before the fire, Stir till the cheese is dissolved, but

To stuff sweetbrends, prepare, re- | sensoning. sweetbreads on it, then add a little sauce. tane. Thicken the stock, cook till about ten minutes. Abgroughly done, and strain over.

THE CHOCOLATE

Family Favourites

Mrs. Bardell

T a mid-morning chocolate party the other day I dis-La covered that there is a definite chocolate hour just amongst fashionable folk which makes cocktails sound quite old-fashioned.

I learned not only how to make chocolate the continental way, buulso that the original cocktail was made of chocolate." If they " laced " it with sherry that's nebody's business. I must admit I preferred chocolate made in the English way, with cup chocolate and milk, in preference to Continental style, weighted down with cream. Well whisking is the secret, and it's delicious in a minute.

Chocolate Suct Pudding

Well, having got the chocolate idea. and wanting to tell the good news. I thought of all the chocolatey favourites the family like. There's the homely suct, for instance; it has quite a party taste when

made this way. Ingredients: 4oz. flour, 1oz. cornflour, Soz. breadcrumbs, 210z. shredded suct, 20z. cup chocolate, i teaspoonful vanilla essence, toz. sugar, 6 tablespoonfuls milk, 1 small level tablespoonful baking powder.

Butter a 6in, basin. Sieve the flour, cornflour and baking powder, with pinch of salt, into a basin. Add the breadcrumbs, the shredded suct and the sugar. Put the milk on to warm, with the cup chocolate, and when it dissolves make a well in the centre of the dry ingredients and mix in the milk and chocolate.

If necessary, a little more milk may be added. It is difficult to state exactly how much, as this depends on the staleness of the crumbs and dryness of the flour. Put into a greased

Egg And Cheese Pie

THIS is a good ple for supper!--

3 hard boiled eggs; 1 oz butter; I yolk egg:

Pepper, salt, brown breaderumbs; Just over 14 pint milk; % oz flour:

2 ozs grated cheese; 1 tenspoonful lemon juice; A little tomato sauce (out of a

Shell and slice the eggs. Make do not boll. Add lemon juice and

moving the skin. Make a forcement | Have ready a greased glass tirestuffing, spread it over and roll up, proof dish, and arrange the silces of tying with tape. Put rashers of egg in it, covering each layer with bacon in a saucepan and lay the a little tomato sauce, then white

more becon, season, and cover with | Sprinkle this liberally with brown | Hotel advises that the usual Dinner stock. Simmer gently for about 40 breadcrumbs and add the rest of the Dance at that 'Hotel on Tuerday, minutes, then dish up, removing the cheese. : Bake in a hot oven for October 25, will not take place owing

Chocolate shape, the Sunday supper favourite.

basin, cover with greased paper, and steam the pudding for 12 hours.

Rice is a Treat

Then there's rice pudding. Instead of being a "you must eat it day" overybody wants a second helping when some chocolate is added. Ingredients: 20z. rice, 1 pint milk. loz, sugar, 20x chocolate, or a two-

penny bar, 2 egg yolks. Wash and cook the rice in the milk and when cooked add the sugar and chocolate, stir well, add the beaten eggs and mix thoroughly. Bake for 15 minutes in a moderate oven. Just before serving, sprinkle with grated chocolate.

Tea Party Cake

Suitable for the children, and they'll

Ingredients: 4os. butter, 4os. sugar, 40m. flour, 2 eggs, 20m. Bournville chocolate, I dessertspoonful of milk. Grease and line a tin. Dissolve the chocolate in a small pan with the milk; when dissolved, remove from the fire and allow to cool. Cream the butter and sugar together until creamy and white, add the eggs one at a time, together with a little of the flour. Add the chocolate and remainder of flour and salt. Mix well and pour into a prepared tin. Bake in a moderate oven for 40 minutes.

Raisin & Nut

Here is a richer cake recipe. Ingredients: 4lb. | butter or margarine, 41b. sugar, 120z. flour. 3 eggs, 40z. chocolate, 1 tablespoonful of milk, 3oz. chopped seedless raisins, 20z. chopped nuts, walnuts or almonds. Grease and line a tin. Dissolve the chocolate in the milk in a small sauce-

PENINSULA HOTEL

The Management of the Peninsula to the Royal Signals' Corps Supper ! Dance functioning that night.

pan. When dissolved, remove from the fire and allow to cool. Cream the butter or margarine and sugar until very creamy, add the eggs one at a time with a little of the flour, and beat thoroughly. Then add the remaining flour, with the chopped raisins and nuts mixed with the flour, and pinch of salt.

Mix well and pour into the greased and lined tin and bake in a moderate oven for 11 hours.

Walnut Layer Cake

Always popular at a tea party. Ingredients: 11b. flour, 3os, butter, 7cs. sugar, 2 eggs, 2 gill of milk, 2oz. walnuta 2 teaspoonfuls of baking powder, lioz. cocon, a few drops of vanilla essence.

Bleve the flour and baking powder, salt and cocoa then add the chopped walnuts to the dry ingredients. Cream the butter, then best in the sugar and add each beaten egg separately. Bur in the dry ingredients alter-

nately with the milk and lastly add the vanilla essence. Put the mixture into a buttered and floured Bin. tin. hollow out the centre and bake for one hour in a moderate

Cool on a wire tray, cut the cake in two layers, spread with chocolate nut cream and ice with chocolate leing.

Nut Cream Filling

For the layer cake above. Ingredients: Coz. sugar. 40z. margarine, or butter, I tablespoonful of water. I a small tin of condensed milk. 10z. Cadbury's plain chocolate, a' few drops of vanilla essence, loz. walnuts, Put the sugar, water, milk, butter

SCHEDULE ALTERED

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Kobe at 0 p.m. the same day.

and chocolate into a saucepan, and boil for 5 minutes, stirring all the time. Cook slowly, adding the essence and nuts.

Chocolate Icing Use this to ice the cakes.

Ingredients: 40z. leing sugar, 20z. cup-chocolate, about 3 tablespoonfuls warm water. Put the chocolate in a basin, add a

very little warm water-just sufficient to damp it—then warm it by standing Add the sleved sugar and enough water to make the icing of a consistency that it will coat the back of a spoon. Beat thoroughly, warm very slightly and use immediately.

Sponge Roll

To serve at ten or as a cold supper Ingredients: 4oz. flour, 5oz. sugar, 3 eggs, luz cocon or grated chocolate, } teaspoonful of baking powder, a few

drops of vanilla essence. Line a Swiss roll tin with wellgreased butter paper. Sieve the flour and baking powder together, add the grated chocolate. Whisk the eggs and sugar until they are pate in colour and

Fold in the flour a little at a time, add the vanilla essence and mix thoroughly Pour the mixture into the prepared tin, and bake in a moderate oven for 8 to 10 minutes. Turn out on sugared paper, trim the



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edges, spread with chocolate butter and roll up. When cold, sprinkle with sleved icing sugar.

Flavouring the Custard Can be served as a sweet, with

sponge ingers. Ingredients: 1 pint custard, a twopenny bar of plain chocolate. . Make the custard with custard powder, and when thickened add the broken up chocolate, stir until dissolved and well mixed. Add a few drops of vanilla essence and serve either hot or cold.

BROKER WEDS

The wedding took place at the Rethat the liner Fellx Roussel, which gistry on Baturday morning, before was scheduled to arrive in Hongkong Mr. T. S. Whyte Smith, " between from Marsellles on Wednesday, Octo- Joseph Jacob Edgar, broker, and ber 26, will now arrive a day earlier, Lilian Charlton (nee Murray), residing ut the Hongkong Hotel. The She will leave for Shanghai and witnesses were Messrs, A. J. Edgar and S. E. Edger.

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THE TWINS WHO HAVE FORMED FOUR'

Archie, the alligator, 10-years-

Even 80-year-old Frederick

There was Archie, banging his tail

Mr. Brown quietly closed the door

ing the hissing sound which indicates

members of the staff. Meanwhile,

NO OBJECTIONS

Know?

That a judge's wig was not

intended as an aid to dignity, but to

That some nurses believe that,

That ten made from dried

13 might be seriously uffected?

to the British Association.

would have been all right.

The South Hampshire deputy cor-

comfort as the nife?

broomsticks?

missing link?

Even Husbands Didn't Part Them

They've said for years that one man and his wife under one roof may equal bliss, but that just one more woman in the same house may mean . . . "well, you know what women are"!

Now two 24-years-old London girls—they are twins -have knocked this theory endways by living the "perfect married life" together in the same house with their

respective husbands. They are Annie and Eileen O'Brien, inseparable twins, now Mrs. Will Johnson and Mrs. Ronald Clarke, of Nightingale-lane, Bromley.

"You're crazy"-Annie and Elleen got the same answer when friends were told of their dual honeymoon plans. "Crackers," said the friends

of the two prooms. So you can tell what friends said when they calmly announced that they proposed to share the same

SAME HOUSE, SAME TEAPOT SAME HOUSE, SAME TEAPOT

Elleen and Annie and the two grooms just smiled and went on their way. They hired the same

"But just wait till you get back to old, 6ft, long, and ugly, escaped normal," the cynical critics said from his tank in Brighton Two newly wed women—and sisters Aquarium. In search of a change at that—in the same house? No, it

Elleen and Annie and the two yards through winding passages will not work." grooms still smiled. They divided to the staff mess-room. the house into two. Elleen had the They preferred it that way. Elleen Brown, who has been at the front. Annie had the back. liked the light; Annie liked the Aquarium for over 60 years,

arrived there. "But what of the kitchen? Hal" cried the cynics. in rage on the stone floor and mak-"It's easy," said Elleen and Annie. Both have their own sets of croca frustrated alligator's wrath. They share the same teapot at breakfast-but when it comes to cooking they go their own ways: They shop together. If one feels

tired the other takes the list. SHARE RENT-AND RADIO "We go each morning to market to get the day's supplies," they told MA large cabbage does for the protesting back to his tank. four of us, but the halves go into

different pots." Annie's husband comes home at midday for a meal; Elicen's in the evening. To oblige, one of-

They don't divide that.

"but what of the radio? That can fighting alligators." There is one set between the four. Aquarium are to be strengthened. start trouble." Eileen has it in her downstairs room,

but there's a loud-speaker connection to Will and Annie's room. "We have the same tastes, and it's working out well," they said. "There is no question of it getting on our nerves."

Annie has a guest just now-an uncle from Co. Cork. She puts him up in her spare room, but next time it will be Elleen's turn. -AND DRESS ALIKE

What else to silence the cynics? assist dandles to catch their lovers' Well, they go to dances together, eyes? and to football matches and the pictures. And Eileen and Annie love when a baby is born, the father to look alike in the same sort of often suffers exactly the same dis-

It's been going on for two months now. It started as an experiment, raspberry leaves is widely used to cure ills in the Eastern Countiesthey don't want to change, "Couldn't be happier," they both and even in North East London? told a reporter recently. "Young wives often feel lenely. We are never lonely.

So what, you cynics? "You must be heavenly twins," they say.

Pilot Exonerated

Returning a verdict of Accidental Death, the jury at a Gosport inquest recently exonerated the pilot of an RAF, scaplane which collided with a boat at Lee-on-Solent on Thursday, remained stationary everything and fatally injured two fishermen.

The victims were Thomas Bannisoner, Mr. Gerald Warner, said: ter, uged 75, of Adelaide-grove, East Cowes, and his stepson, Thomas think it would have been wiser to

to one side of it. If the boat had chance to alter your direction."

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Nature In the Raw

A "nature in the raw" drama in the North Sea, which was watched by the crew of the Grimsby trawier Ravenna, was described by them recenily on their return to port.

Tunny fish were the hunters: herring the hunted.

Skipper George Smith said: "A shoal of herring suddenly rose to the surface, harried by the tunny. The herring came close to the ship for shelter, but when we hauled our nets the shoal moved away and a terrible slaughter began,

Nearly 100 tunny flashed among them. Herring that were flicked into the air by the tails of the tunny were snapped up by gulls. The tunny and the gulls between them must have consumed thousands of

Do You Think She Is Pretty?

Vera Haal, and Americans the 11 0 8 E beautiful girl in the United States. She has won many beauty contests. She was elected "Miss Venus" in 1937, since then she has been "Miss New York" America." She started her career as a; model, now she is the leader of a team of eight

which

London.



CRASH

Traffic Keport Failed

Immediate compliance with a rule of the London Passenger Transport Board would have prevented the Charing Cross Underground railway smash on May 17, when six people were killed and 45 injured.

This is stated in the official report, issued recently, of Lieut-Col. E. Woodhouse, the Ministry of Transport inspector who conducted an inquiry into the cause of the accident.

The rule quoted in the report says that when a signal fails and awaited the arrival of other was an hour's battle before he was persuaded (which is scarcely the proper word) into a box and carried signal and advise drivers accordingly. Archie's temper deteriorated. There the signalman or stationmaster at the station in the rear must

.The primary cause of the accident was a "false-clear" signal Mr. Brown held out a broken indication being given, due to a "He broke two of them, snapping wrong connection made during the handles clean through before we the previous night.

ten cooks for the other.

Each couple pays half the rent.

They share the house—but the garden is the common meeting-ground.

They don't divide that.

Could box him," he said.

"I don't really object to this sort of thing, but I am perhaps getting a little old for alligator hunts. Years are don't divide that.

Shortly after leaving Charing collided with the back of an Ealingcollided with the back of an Ealingare I entered a tank here and, armed "So far, so good," say the cynics, only with an iron bar, separated two tween Charing Cross and Temple stations. Anti-alligator defences at the

INSPECTOR BLAMED Station Inspector Barnes was at Charing Cross and Col. Woodhouse contenus that after being warned of clate the dangerous possibilities of the situation."

the accident, but that when con- of our national life. fronted with an unexpected situation he did not rise to the occasion in the manner to be expected of n man in his position," states Col Woodhouse. "For this reason consider that he must bear some share of the responsibility for the

necident." Inspector Barnes, the report adds, is 45 and has 28 years' service, during the past 11 of which he has been a station inspector; he has an excellent record

That people still believe that MOTORMAN CLEARED midwives transport themselves on Whatever the true explanation for the mistake in wiring the signal, answers to such questions as

That boys under 14 are bored by "responsibility must be borne by "base" films; but that girls of 12 or Signal Installer E. Eeles." That an ape's skull has been found

But, it is added, inasmuch as Eeles in South Africa "combining was not competent to test the signal characteristics of the apo with human controls after he had finished his milk teeth," but is still not the night's work this should undoubtedly have been done by Chief Linesman These remarkable facts were fold A. G. Beer, who must "consequently bear a large share of the respon-

sibility." The failure of Motorman McLean, driver of the second train, to apply the brake, was due to a momentary ienry Remp, aged 40.

Pilot Sergeant Clifford Bond said farther away. Then, if anything not unputural. On those mounds and minute experiments on anything not unputural. On those mounds and selected groups of he saw the boat and decided to land goes wrong, you have a much better Mel can be religied from any seconds humans have proved exactly what McLean is relieved from any respon- diets yield the best health results, unitely carnivorous, is shown by the sibility for the accident.

> feature of the accident," says Col. securing such diets. Woodhouse, "was the fallure on the part of the traffic staff to take KNOWLEDGE LACKING. preventive action, for which there was ample opportunity.

Beer by Station Foreman Foskew. "I am of opinion that negligence of which the latter was guilty is

Beer, for on none of three occasions of a train which is sufficiently dison which a dangerous fallure was tinctive to be immediately recognisreported to him did he take the able as such. The board should be trouble to follow up the matter per- requested to report their final prosonally and 'assure himself that posals without undue delay. taken."

Porter Hopkins, who was told by Forkew to telephone Charing Cross and who substituted the meaningless information that a signal was "working sluggishly," is looked upon "as deserving some blame for his care-

TAIL LIGHTS CRITICISED noss of tall lights on trains, and pendent lighting.

"PEP DRUG" **POISON** LISTS

London. The Home Office has placed on the poison list "pep drug" benzedrine, which has been used by some undergraduates before their examinations with very effective results.

Benzedrine, which was recently discovered, speeds up the brain and gives confidence but is harmful if taken indiscriminate-

WRONG FOOD

With nearly £1,805,000—one-third the national income—spent in Great Britain on food, nearly half the population fall below the British Medical Association standards of adequate nutrition in some respect or other.

This startling conclusion comes not from the rash reasoning of an extremist politician or an economist ventilating his special

"I have come to the conclusion dietetic habits of all classes of that Station Inspector F. H. Barnes our population by a husiness had an opportunity of preventing man in touch with every section | 000 people have the means to secure

Sir William Crawford, K.B.E., whose book The People's Food (Heinemann 12s. 6d.) was published I recently, set afoot in the winter sored by the producers of valuable months of 1936-37 a survey of 5,000

It covered homes where the income ranged from over £1,000 a year to £2 a week or less, and ranged from London to Glasgow, and Newcastle to Cardiff.

WHAT DID YOU SPEND?

What time did you have break- dividual.

fast yesterday? What did your family drink for are that breakfast?

How much did you apend last week on milk, bread, sardines, bacon, meat, fruit, fish? Does your husband have his midday meal at home, in a restaurant, or take it with him

packed? The motive for this arduous rerearch was that although from Board confusion of the tail light of the of Trade figures the total quantities train in front of him with a signal of foodstuffs consumed are easily disselect a spot for landing crusiderably and, in view of the sameness of the covered and limited experiments on

It has long been known that

though some 8,000,000 of the popu-"Responsibility for the accident lation are inadequately nourlahed must be shared with Chief Linesman from lack of means to buy proper food, there are other strate in which

more serious than that displayed by urges a method of marking the back

It was desirable that all transverse giasa should be of the safety variety, and lie was glad to report that the board had decided to subsitule safety glass by degrees for the plate-glass now med.

Col. Woodhouse concludes with a reference to the improved type of "Then the tresh with which Hollyrolling stock now being brought into Col. Woodhouse criticises the wesk- bodywork, safety glase, and inde-theare for themselves and ensp-their-

the signal defect he "did not appre- fad, but from a survey made on the income is adequate, but educaa hitherto unknown scale of the cxpend the food budget is deficient. The result of the survey suggests that between 12,000,000 and 22,000,-

> better health, but lack the know-Sir William Crawford points out that educational campaigns sponeffect not only on the producing industries but on the national health, and that the pivot on which physical

fitness depends is nearer the home

kitchen than anything else. HOME COOKING

In the revival of home cooking, he His investigators made door to sees one of the greatest defences of door calls and got the housewives' democracy and a barrier against the increasing regimentation of the in-

Interesting points from the survey

Peak hour for breakfast is 8 a.m., and the amount of bacon

consumed at it is a direct measure of social standing.

"Elevenses" are increasing in popularity. At least 50 per cent. of husbands

take their midday meal at home. Coffre still lags behind tea as the national beverage; and Beer drinking in the home appears to have been curtailed by

the improved facilities offered in clubs and public-houses. The British public, though delity for the accident.

"Perhaps the most regrettable what classes of the population are the world's meat eaters, and sixth among milk consumers.

> HOLLYWOOD "TRASH"

When I began work in the theatre, the old provincial stock companies supporting strolling stars had perished and were replaced by fouring companies from London, which became staler and staler and cheaper and cheaper, until the cinema, with its magnificently costly productions,

struck them dead. wood daluged us forced the dramaticuse by the board, including steel ally starved provinces to revive the

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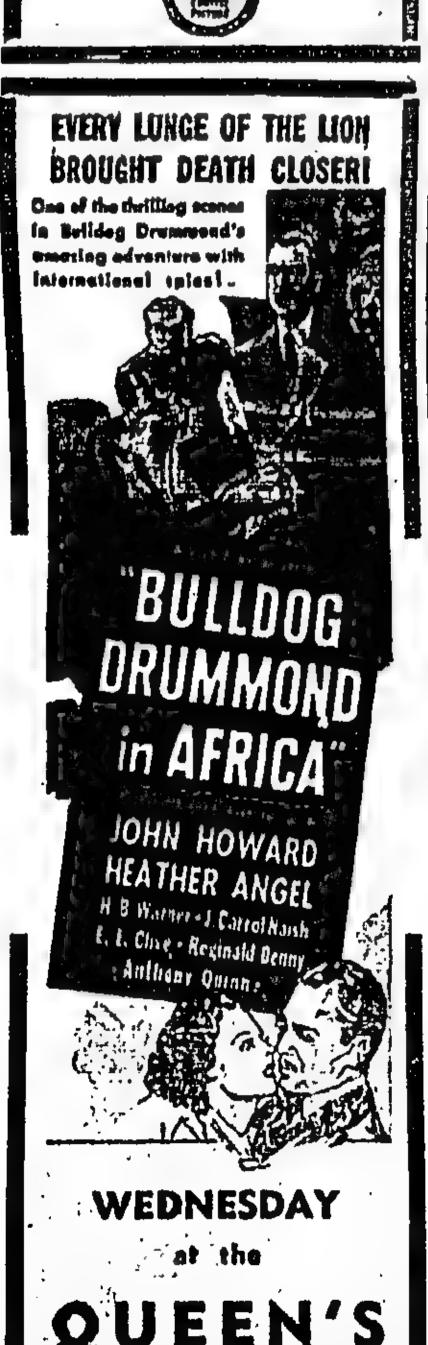
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FINAL HOURS **OF**

Communications with Canton became reduced to wireless connection and the congestion of traffic was so heavy that much news did not get through,

Below, correspondents tell in delayed messages of what they naw on Friday and Saturday.

two free-lance camerames, Messrs. A. savagely. Tyler Hull, of Buckrow Bench, Virginie, and Roy G. Scott, of St. Louis, up to noon, 275 men only could be Mo., I found myself leading the mustered out of the original 500. Chinese advance, which just missed The Jopanese mechanised thrusts encountering a flying column of may break through, but their infantry Japanese tanks thirty miles from will have the hardest time follow-Canton along the Canton-Taengshing ing. Our men's morale is high. highway, says a United Press corres- have only one wish-to get at some-

Proceeding towards the front. found large scale Chinese troop movementa in both directions executed British born parentage essential. With parade-ground precision. I also found the hill enclosed roads leading out of Canton only very alightly damaged, but saw no wounded.

Thirty miles east of Canton, I encountered a column of Chinese Vickers whippet tanks accompanied ENTIRE furniture of 7-roomed house, by a motor cycle and a gorgeous for sale, in good condition, including hearse with baby blue and gilt fittings city, which was followed by fires, witness said he counted eighteen. and glass-panels. This was serving as a staff car, in which were very blowing up of munition dumps. much alive but slightly embarassed !.

their unit. appeared a mile shead, and had fire hazard. muchine-gunned some buses which overtook us half-an-hour before. The hearse turned a dignified tall on board the American Consulate Planes continue to circle the city,

and we followed. units and heavy artillery later in the cans as well as fifteen other for- General is responsible for this bignight suggested a retirement before a trial of strength, probably due to the successful Japanese flanking operations north-east of Poklo. During our tour, we found Chinese troops who had obviously not been

damaged in the slightest. tour was a pint-sized girl-soldier named Mabel Yang, formerly a desk clerk at the popular New Asia Hotel, who won the hearts of the gruffest has since slowed up. There are few plete evacuation of any city in the unarmed. front-line officers and secured for us pedestrians about, though many are a welcome everywhere.

Chinese Unit Decimated

men against machines, which began few minutes ago.

at 5 a.m. young California born battalion com- standing and seems fairly safe. you left I received an order to operate | Chinese blowing them up,

crews. Fifty Japanese planes in Chinng Koi-shek bitterly,

Canton, Oct. 21. run. They propped up our anti-tonk Y.M.C.A. said, "I saw two In the course of a bizarre twelve- guns with the aid of impromptu pass with Japanese flags." hour night taxi tour of the front with bamboo 'tripods and fought back

In the course of a six-hour ordeal thing we can fight."-United Press.

Shameen Defence

Canton, Oct. 21. Canton is dying to-day. Early the man said a large number this morning I went by boat to Japanese tanks came down Tal Ping Lingman. It was filled with refugees swat, and turned enstward along the but still they did not show any sign Bund.

explosions were heard east of the were sixteen tanks. Another eyethe sounds like shots providing the! At present the streets are quiet.

officers, who proposed we followed ing of defences, including steel- example, one man stopped me and

evacuate left this morning for Shekki he would probably die anyway. launch with a naval guard. The dropping enticing leaflets. Movements of Chinese mechanized group included about fifteen Ameri-

the Chinese is continuing, the intest carry out a mock defence, and being the O.S.K. Japanese ware- slated to hold the chief military post houses, the Brewery, the Paper Fac- in the puppet government. tory, and the Cotton Mill, while it Our party's guide on the night is also learned that the Power-house generators have been set aftre with gasoline, and the Water plant has also been blown up. The evacuation seen sitting patiently by the street-

The Tanks Appear

The unit which we left at 4 a.m. Thomson telephoned the United died bodies of four civilians, one a plane circled a few hundred feet was waylaid and decimated by States Consulate that Japanese tanks young and pretty girl, one a soldier, overhead, but flew away, evidently Japanese aeroplanes and tanks in the had passed the Canton Hospital on course of a desperate six-hour battle, the Bund near the Oi Kwan Hotel a cled low over the city throughout the

This morning I met a haggard ceived, the Pearl River bridge is still mander who said: "When you said It is notable that all the things maining on both sides of the bottleyou mot Japanese tanks I didn't the Japanese have tried for weeks neck of the Canton-Walchow Road. quite believe it, because I was order- to destroy, including the Power and ed to take up guard duty at a second Water plants, and the Cement. Cotton heavy equipment sent back and line place where you had been. We and Paper mills, were destroyed a evacuated promptly and efficiently. Chinese soldiers had been stopped. never got to our position. Just after few hours ago this morning by the Despite the passage of the Japanese A company of Japanese soldiers were

independently, signifying a Japanese A few minutes ago, Japanese planes officers and men in the streets. break-through. An hour afterwards circling low over the city dropped Japanese determined to destroy us. | been to the citizens in the occupied United Press. "Six tanks came down the road, areas, and how they had always help-We smashed three with our four anti- ed the farmers, the old and young tank guns, which killed seven of the and the helpless. It denounced

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and Hackett Hospital. It is also Diplomatic sending a warning to Pak Hok Tung Blind girls from Pak Hok Tung will abortly be brought by boot near to

All Streets Dead A United Press correspondent who

toured the city at 4 p.m. saw tank tracks on the Bund. He also saw the American flag at the Y.M.C.A. gate with two bullet holes through it. Mr. Wallace Forgie, a native of Toronto, who is in charge of the Y.M.C.A. said, "I saw twenty tanks

· Planes are flying low overhead. Chinese soldiers with arms and Chinese staff cars still scattered through the city seem unworried. The streets appear to be dead, though an occasional straggler is seen. Those evacuating are also calm.

En route to the Canton Hospital, says a United Press correspondent, saw a man with a wounded leg who asked where the hospital was. directed him towards the Hackett Memorial Hospital, since the Canton Hospital had closed.

Asked how he had been wounded,

The gateman at the Canton Hospital Just after reaching Linguan, several confirmed the story and said there Most of the people now remaining Shameen has completed the erect- believe themselves trapped. For

plates guarding the bridges. The asked me whether I was afraid. I French are digging trenches on the asked him why he had not gone, and Station described with some rolling selves overtook the unit, and sudden- eastern tip of the Island, while the he replied that he had been unable stock, tanks and anti-aircraft equiply met running men saying that a British are removing the matshed to find a boat or a ricksha. I told raiding party of Japanese tanks had covering the bridge to reduce the him to cross the river to Honam Island in the south, but he apathe-The last group of foreigners to tically replied it was no use since did not go until this morning.

> Chinese reports say that a certain gest debacle in Chinese military history. It is said that he was paid The blowing up of buildings by 2,000,000 yuan by the Japanese to

Complete Evacuation

During the past few days, Canton has witnessed probably the most comworld's history.

Twenty Japanese tanks later passed business street and disappeared, leav-Squadrons of Japanese planes cir-

Despite the dynamiting it had re-| remains a riddle. Japanese planes and tanks dominate the roads into the city but are re-While troops went forward, I saw

Awaiting the Japanese

Canton, Oct. 22. Canton was very quiet this morngroups began ceaselessly to harry us . The U.S.S. Mindanno is this after- ing. Thousands were patiently and neross country. Our men refused to noon sending details of sailors to apathetically waiting for the Japanese,

In France

PARIS, Oct. 23. An important diplomatic reshuffle is announced as a result of the transfer of M. Francois

Poncet from Berlin to Rome. M. Erik Labonne, at present Ambassador to Barcelona, has been appointed Resident-General at Tunis. He will be succeeded by M. Jules Henry, chief private secretary to M. Bonnet.

M. Paul Naggiar, Ambassador to China, is being transferred to Moscow, where he takes the place of M. Coulondre, who has been appointed Ambassador to Berlin.

Bonnet also recommended the appointment of M. Massigli, Director of Office. Political Affairs at the Qual d'Orsay, to be Ambassador to Turkey.

In some quarters these changes are regarded as a sign of France's new attitude towards the totalitarian States since the Munich agreement -Reuter.

who, however, seem yet to be some distance nway. Sporadle machine-gun fire was heard from White Cloud Mountain. north-east of the city, Indicating that

the Japanese were still some miles from the city. A tour of the city found Wongsha ment destroyed by last night's fire.

The carctaker there said that the train, scheduled to leave last night Fire raged in the city centre where the Military Hendquarters had been blown up, and for a time threatened the Y.M.C.A. It has now died out

Occasional Japanese planes circle the city dropping leaflets addressed to General Wu Teh-chen. General Yu Han-mou, and Mayor Tseng is Yang-fu, very politely announcing the Japanese are surrounding the city, and requesting their surrender, otherwise the Japanese would unfortunately be forced to destroy the place. Only a few soldlers are seen in the streets, these stragglers changing their clothes when able. They are all

A United Press correspondent and through the deserted city's main an American cameraman, Rey G. Scott, from St. Louis, Mo., made a ing no trace of their passing except | tour of the city at 1.20 p.m. to-day. At 3.10 p.m. Dr. Cadbury and Dr. bullet spattered walls, and the rid- Going up Tat Ping Lo, a Japanese seeing the American flag.

At the corner of Wing Hon Lo and day. At the end of the day, Canton | Wai Oi Lo, Japanese soldiers were seen walking, carrying bunches of bananas. They appeared to be nervous. Further away, three Japanese soldiers were seen riding bleyeles.

"A mile later at Tungshau, we were stopped at the intersection where muchine-gunned Chinese trucks with tanks. I saw small groups of Chinese seen crossing the hill ahead. We waved our flag as they pointed their The Conton-Hankow Railway sent | bayonets. They were joined by an-Japanese planes spotted us. After leaslets, one of which fell on the out a train to-night, while its ad- other company coming in by other some men were killed their infuriated U.S.S. Mindanao, saying how friend- ministration buildings were ablaze roads on trucks they had comcomrades opened fire. Then the ly the Japanese troops had always and ignited the shops next door.— mandeered preparatory to entering

"A colonel, said to be a commander of an entering regiment numbering over 1,000, sald they spent last night in Shaho, five miles east, and asked if many Chinese civilians were seen. They were apparently disappointed to find very few.

"Several Chinese civilians accompanying apparently unarmed soldiers had been looting for food, carrying bunches of pananas, some chickens and leading cows.

"The Japanese soldlers were tired but cheerful, and some of the old soldiers borrowed eigarettes from us. "An interpreter who spoke French said that General Matsul was not commanding the troops, was not in South China, and was not coming, but said there were thousands of Japanese troops a couple of miles behind the column. He said the Japanese would receive the Press to discuss the campaign two or three days hence."

A message at 4.10 p.m. states that a motor car carrying high Japanese officers stopped at the British bridge. An English interpreter formerly em-ployed by the Mitsul Busan Knisha on Shameen stepped out and yelled neross the creek. "Do you remember

He was followed by a Japanese officer, Captain Sayeda, who asked it the British Ambassador was In Shameen. The Commissioner of Police, Mr. Ferguson, replied that he was not, after calling for the British Consul-General, Mr. A. P. Blunt.
After asking whether there had been any incidents, the Japanese ex-pressed their pleasure at the negative reply, and said their Commander-in-Chief would be arriving in a couple of days and would call. They then departed.

Shameen Closed

Canton, Oct. 23. "Hullo! Do You remember mo?" yelled Captain Saida, a Japanese officer, waving his hand as he alighted from a motor-car which he drove up to the British Bridge at Shameen at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. This greeting was addressed in English to foreigners on the Shameen side of the barricades who were amazed to recognise a former em-ployee of the Canton office of the

Mutsul Bussan Kaisha.
Interviewed by Reuter, Captain
Saida said that the Japanese forces completely controlled the city. He added that the supreme command would formally enter within two or three days.

The Reuter correspondent is the first civilian to greet the other Japanese officers in charge of the advance guards after preliminary greetings exchanged, with Captain John Ferguson, British Police Super-Intendent.

The British authorities at present are not allowing anybody to leave or ei.ter Shameen.-Reuter.

OFFICE.

CHRISTMAS PARCEL MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN

The Christmas Parcel Mail Great Britain will be closed in the General Post Office and Kowloon Central Post Office at Noon on Friday, the 11th November per S.S. "Ranpura" and is due to arrive at London on the 10th December, 1938. The Public are kindly requested to post carly.

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scavengers, who are looting whereever the Japanese have been unable to post sentries. bugs, and they cannot find the rich Canton which, when they landed in Blas Bay, loomed before their covetous eyes as a magnet drawing them on to victory.

PLANE IN EXPLOSION

Two Japanese planes were circling lazily over Wongsha when the two gigantic explosions rocked the city

on the'r baggage for two hours.

blew open the doors of Japanese firms on Shameen, which had been

"We bring peace and prosperlty. and we want all merchants to resume their business."

WIND SAVES SHAMEEN

At the end of the day provident being included in the holocaust, de- educationist, who first produced breezes came to save Shameen from flecting the flames which, however, an illustrated book for children,

Wongsha shook. The Shameen au- Great Fire. Bohemia had been or two more explosions in the city. Another Uniteed Press correspondent at Canton writes that from Wongsha exploded, indicating that self burnt 60,000 Bohemian the machine was possibly bombing the place in an effort to check the volumes.

On the other hand,; eye witnesses assert that many Japanese troops are

caused to the American Consulate.

Japanese troops stopped the looting of rice shops opposite the British Mr. Wallace Forgic, a helper at the Y.M.C.A., evacuated the Bundside building when flames licked the back

door of the institution. Several eyewitnesses assert that united at last with their Slovak two Japanese planes flew over the kinsmen. explosion, and that one subsequently disappeared.

CITY'S CENTRE ABLAZE correspondent writes

that the whole of the centre of Canton city at present is burning, the flames taking in an area from the bridge to ten blocks of that point and several blocks wide. A new fire has also started in Taping Road and the New Asia Hotel which is burning from the areased up everyoring incendiarism as a cause, rather than stray sparks. Acceptions communications were cut late on Saturday afternoon, and

no one was permitted to leave Shameen, therefore it was impossable to discover whether the Y.M.C.A., and the Canton Hospital were at that

Two fires on the northern outskirts of the city, might eventually threaten Shameen and therefore the fire brigades have been organised, ready for action. (1 . 1 ! . (1)

. While the Japanese fire fighters succeeded in extinguishing the fires in the centre, of the city early on around Shameen, and at present two place of Sir Frederick Greer, who has Sunday morning, new fires broke out fires are roging in Shakee, one at a west end trice store, which was set alight after being looted, and the other near the French Bridge, which spread from the Sun Company, owned by the super-patriot Chai Chung, who was observed removing his goods before the occupation of Canton.

matsheds, and at the time of sending the message: Chinese looters were looting a rice, store opposite, the British bridge.

The night passed very quietly, there being only occasional fring, evidently used for signalling pure poses, since it was regular. It is evident that the Chinese populace has not been interferred with

since they are still carrying their purcels as they evacuate. ... The only sign of Japanese was an occasional truck patrol at Shakee. FOREIGN OFFICES GUTTED

slowly circling Shameen from enst and west. The pearest of the one of the fires. a war grant of fires was half as blocks away: The wind that was blowing the Talping kwan district, directly north. A United Prote correspondent walked along the Bund from Shamem . United Press."

THE CZECHS' HISTORIC IN CABINET HOMELAND

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the Protestant Elector Palatine tioned in this connection. to post sentries.
The Japanese cannot find the fireof the Rhine. This monarch machinery already exists through machinery already exists through was the son-in-law of our own which a great deal could be done, is in Hongkong are discounted by King James I. and VI. and lived such as the compilation of a Japanese reports, which state that he to become the father of Prince National Register, and, despite crisis definitely in Changking. to become the latner of Frince ticisms, much already has been act. The Japanese report continues that Rupert of the Civil War, the complished, and the armament an important conference is being held grandfather of King George I., compusace, and the distingtion in the Chinese capital. In addition subsequent monarchs. Frederick Coptain Euan Wallace is mention- by Generalization Chiang Kal-shek vesterday of the planes completely disOne of the planes completely disappeared in the blast.

Several Japanese soldiers who were patrolling the area were also viped out.

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city scared, but at the city scared, but at the pleased the Chinese on Shameen, as evidence that Chinese power was working to negative and of the Thirty Years and the contained 3,000,000 people at the pleased the beginning of the Thirty Years are that Chinese power was working to discuss the Dominions, may become the for the Dominions, may become the for the Dominions Secretary. It is also of Commons.—Reuter. ged at the end with 880,000, all The present act of 'Canton's nominally Roman, Catholics. tragedy is set in in a scene of such Nobles and burghers emigrated; abomination and desolation that even the Japanese conquerors are peasants were kept to the soil aghast, while the flames from the and crushed after repeated ever-growing fire light up their risings. The Sudeten German hasily posted proclamations which Protestants had suffered together with the Czechs. But now there was a fresh influx of German Roman Catholics.

Among the Czech refugees who escaped to England was Komensky (or Comenius), the Last night a nearby explosion etchings show London before the thorities state that they expect one culturally one of the most advanced countries of Europe. Jesuits and soldiers now extera river launch he was a Japanese minated all Hussite literature; plane pass directly overhead as one priest boasted of having him-

WITHIN THE EMPIRE

After the French Revolution into the river, while sizzling frag testant. Literary and historical ments dived into the water all societies began to organise a nadow in Shameen was shattered, tionalist movement still forbidalthough there does not seem to den to take political forms. have been any structural damage When freer speech was allowed, However, the interior is a mass of the demand was not for separabroken glass and plaster, while tion from the Austrian Empire, one of the Chinese clerks had his but for a restoration of the "In the course of a tour of Pak- rights enjoyed before 1620." hoktung and Fongchuen, which are Hungary was successful in 1867 missionary centres across the river, in obtaining her own national I found no Japanese troops, but wights in that Empire to have streams of refugees were cutting their rights in that Empire; to have way across the countryside, and end- done the same for Bohemia less human trickle across the green would have meant placing the Sudeten Germans in a minority. -a policy favoured by certain of the advisers of the Emperor Francis Joseph but never accomplished till after the war, when the Czechs of Bohemia were re-

Since 1910 surf life-savers have rescued more than 37,000 people. A deputation made this claim to the Warringah Shire Council. The lives saved were valued at £74,000,000. Councillor Butcher said that the Government Statistician valued a human life at £2,000.

NEW JUSTICE OF APPEAL

Sir Herbert du Parcq, a Justice of the King's Bench, has been appointed Lord Justice of Appenl, in

Mr. Wingtringham Stable, x.c., has been appointed a Justice to the King's Bench.-Reuter.

to the Pearl River Bridge and found the district surrounding the Sun was observed removing his goods before the occupation of Conton.

The offices of the Schmidt Company, the offices of the Schmidt Company, the Hongkong and Canton Steamship Shameen firemen drenched Shameen Company, and the Post Office, which were on fire and British and American sallors were

fighting desperately to save the Customs House. Howevery there was no fire between Talping Road and the Bridge. The Y.M.C.A., and French Hospital was found to be just on the edge of

yesterday's fire which had burned A few Japanese soldiers were seen, and one was looting a food store. Otherwise there were no signs of looting. The correspondent naw one Chineso soldier, who had; been At noon yesterday the fires were bayonetted, while another was sleepthe ing calmly only a short distance from

Obviously the population had not been fouched by the lapanese, and Roed fire into the jerry-built. Sale they are not afraid of the Japanese. although -very fow people were in the streets, except at Shakee,-

NO MAJOR CHANGES

(Continued from Page 1.)

chose as their King Frederick, Sir John Anderson has been men-

appears to have accepted, the the vacancies in the Cabinet.

Captain David Margesson has been Captain David Margesson has been

PREMIER'S RETURN Mr. Neville Chamberlain's return Anglo-Italian pact can now be rati-

served in official circles regarding Italy on which the pact will become new appointments to the Cabinet, effective. The so-called Counter-reforms- there is a growing feeling in political Prior to that date Parliament will The explosions and fires in the tion began, and Bohemia, which circles that the Duke of Devonshire, be given an opportunity to discuss

CHINESE LEADERS SAID

(Continued from Page 1.)

"I have nothing further to sa Mr. Soons replied.

Although great reticence is ob- is now tipe, a date will be fixed with.

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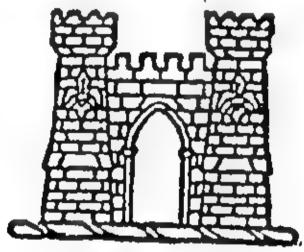
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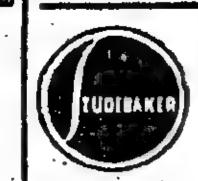
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Never in its centuries of history nineteen centuries.

equally dangerous form of Trea- China. China.

Chiang Kai-shek or the other occurred.

THE CZECHS' HISTORIC HOMELAND

Countrymen of "Goody King Wenceslas"

Wenceslas." But few

position of the Sudeten

meet persons creditably

mans. It is possible still

AFTER VERSAILLES

known as Czechs.

Bohemia's Centuries-Old Sudeten Minority

By H. D. ZIMAN

OR many British spectators of the stillunfinished tragic drama which has been taking place in Central Europe, the issue has been shrouded not merely by propraganda, and by personal sympathies and hopes, but by a normal and natural public ignorance concerning a country of which the present name did not appear on pre-war maps or occur in pre-war history books written in our own

to the outside world under its wishes to "return to the Reich 1918. old familiar name of Bohemia were pre-war citizens of Ger-(much as the people who call many lost (like the Alsatians themselves the Hellenes are and Lorrainers and the inknown to the outside world as habitants of the Polish Corridor) Greeks) it is at least possible in the great reshuffle of Verthat it would be more generally sailles. understood that the claims of were not something, as it were, dropped out of a hat by the Pence Conference of 1919.

have heard of the blind King

members of the Chinese National the cause of China than the loss Sudetens had been neighbours of reality until 1620 and in theory civic assemblies. Half a cenof a city. Such utterances sow the Czechs in a common State, till 1918. There was no "King- tury before the German univerthe seeds of dissension, breed greater or smaller, for many dom of Slovakia." dictum has held; in fact, Trea-sters attacking China from the Much of the early history of THE GERMANS' RETURN founded the University of

been used in the greatest be- of the greatest Army the world Slav influx. betrayal may not be told for is history which the Chinese have occupied the first five cen- moreover, they began to en- rested and burnt at the stake in

as falseness to the government and we continue to believe, that of the country. It is this type the worse disservice China's of Treason for which the in- leaders can do their people is to completely hush Chinese revaders of China have prayed verses. The danger of this for sixteen months. It is the policy became apparent imme-Treason which has allowed puppet regimes to come into being in Peiping and Nanking. It is majority of Chinese people that the Treason wherein a section the Japanese were still some of the people betrays their coun- scores of miles from Canton, and try in its hour of need by ex- were encountering opposition of pressing dissatisfaction with, or transferring allegiance from, the leaders of the National Gov-came on Friday the effect was ernment. The vilest Treason of catastrophic. Had, vernacular this type insofar as China is and other European newspapers concerned is the transference published a true state of affairs, of allegiance from the National as did the Telegraph, we are Government to the leaders of the so-called governments who are manifestly puppets dangling not have been accepted so philosphically that there would not have been this subsequent at the ends of strings pulled by hunting for scapegoats which is the invaders. A milder, but so injurious to the cause of

son, is any attempt to disredit. We would be lacking in the existing Government of our responsibilities to our readers and, we believe, in We would like to issue this people, were we to refrain from warning to the Chinese people: publishing accurate and imme-An utterance by any responsible diate reports of events in China, or semi-responsible Chinese per- merely on the grounds that it is son or newspaper which seeks better that the Chinese people should not hear about impenddiscredit. Generalissimo ing disasters until they have

Crecy, and from whose helm the early folk-wanderings, but it is hereditary (title of King before Black Prince is said (by a prob- fair, I think, to note that both Premsyl Ottaker I. (1197-1230) ably untrue legend) to have Czechs and Germans can claim succeeded in obtaining the kingpicked the three feathers which that their races are anything ship as a hereditary title, conform the crest of a Prince of but newcomers. Wales. Even more have heard Even before they had estab- cessive Emperors.

and sung) of "Good King lished themselves in Moravia While the dignity of the Czech have and Bohemia the Slav in their realm was being raised, increarealised that these two figures westward advance must have sing ties were being created were rulers of the people now An almost equal vagueness in the popular mind envelopes the to Magyars, who gained possession or returned. Yet the distance informed on foreign affairs who and continued to hold it, except jealousies from modern theories Had the Czechs and their believe that the German-speak- for brief intervals, as part of of "blood-and-soil" are well illusfriends presented their country ing citizens whom the Fuehrer the Hungarian Kingdom till trated in the reign of the great

In the second half of the 13th Emperor Charles IV. (1346-78) century Slovakia, it is true, made Prague his favourite capicame for a time under the Czech tal. King of Bohemia; in the 14th and again the 15th century there

many weeks. In the meantime, people should take to heart. turies A.D. Bohemia by the sixth courage the immigration of 1415.

in the South has fallen, and a two letters from Chinese readers in the first century, or earlier so the Royal House was called) tional revolt against allegiance new and equally deadly form of accusing us of pro-Japanism be- archaeological evidence in- were acknowledging the au- to Rome. A series or religious cause we published reports dis- dicates, Bohemia had at least a thority of the Holy Roman Em- wars followed, which were not Treason is making its appear- closing that the Japanese ad- scattering of Slav inhabitants. peror and marrying German really ended for 200 years. The ance—the Treason which is de- vance was much more rapid No sane person would build princesses. Two members of conflict was nationalist as well fined by the Oxford Dictionary than official Chinese sources political theories on the scanty the House had been granted by as doctrinal. George of Pode-

and by the end of the 9th cen- and an increasing German tury a "Great Moravian" Empire minority entering the Bohemian had been established which in- kingdom. They mainly kept to cluded the Western Slovaks, their own language and largely

overrun what is now Slovakia, with the Holy Roman Empire, But this Empire was broken to their own settlements. The early in the 10th century by the Sudeten Germans had arrivedof Slovakia in the 11th century which separates mediaevol racial Charles of Bohemia, who as the

firmed by the Pope and by suc-

HUSS'S MARTYRDOM

were brief periods of Slovak in- The Premyslid House had died The Czecho-Slovakia of the dependence. But Czechs and out in 1306. The blind King the country to independence Peace Treaties did, indeed, in-Slovaks-originally the same John mentioned earlier was a clude a few square miles of what people and preserving even to- member of the House of Luxemwas formerly Prussia. This day almost the same language— bourg, but married to a Premysmall section contined under 50,- have continued to belong to slid Princess. His son, Charles Most British schoolchlidren 000 inhabitants—of whom 80 different countries and to be IV., spoke French, German and per cent. spoke (and speak) a governed on the whole under Bohemian with equal facility, John of Bohemia, who fell at Moravian-Czech dialect. The different systems, although from and insisted that his German remainder of Czecho-Slovakia 1490 until 1918 they shared the officials should speak the nationwas carved out of the old Austro-same foreign Sovereigns. The al language. The use of Czech Government is a greater blow to Hungarian Empire, where the Kingdom of Bohemia survived in or German was optional in the sities had been organised he

son may now be said to rank in rear, she cannot hope to con- Bohemia is still dim for lack of The carliest Czech rulers—to Under his successor, Wencesmost countries as the gravest tinue her gallant stand in front. records and excess of racial pro- return to Bohemia—did not las IV., serious reforms were The loss of Canton is a dis- paganda legends. Czechs and have the rank of King. "Good called for in the Church. The offence that can be committed aster, but it was no more Sudetens regard one another King Wenceslas," though he was leader of the reformers was disaster than was the loss of the with varying degrees of em- to have four namesakes with the John Huss, Rector of the Uni-Marne to the Allies in 1914. The phasis as intruders, but impartial kingly title, was in fact merely versity of Prague (from which The Village Band

No More (Negro Folk Song)Paul Robeson En can ta dora Maria

The Wind has told me so ... Barnabas von Geczy Orch.

The Wind has told me so ... Barnabas von Geczy Orch.

Kiss—Serenade (De Micheli)

It is still too early to state Allies regained the Marne, as historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the bulk china can, with continued unity, historians recall that the earliest an independent Prince ruling the King's policy drove the b of all the circumstances, there learned in the dark days of Capital Tacitus. names as by the Roman Church, but an en- than a Protestant, Huss is be-1914-17, that there is no dis- Boiohaemum. Before the first lightened man, who forbade pub- lieved to have come into contact honour or finality in temporary century A.D. German tribes lic executions. He died in 929, with the writings of Wyclif defeat or retreat. Belgium, (notably the Marcomanni and murdered on his way to Mass by through Bohemian students who has the Kwangtung capital fal- Servia, and Rumania became the Quadi) had invaded and one of his brothers. came to England in the retinue len to an invading alien army the territory of an invader in settled in Bohemia and the ad- The Pope had accepted a of Anne of Bohemia, daughter 1914 and 1915; Russia capitu- joining province, Moravia; but Slavonic liturgy, introduced to of Charles IV, and wife of our with such ridiculous case, and lated in 1917. Nearly all of they later pushed onward into Bohemia by Greek missionaries, own Richard I. Hussites began the only logical conclusion that France was overrun and the what is now known as Bavaria, unwillingly, and when Prague to be persecuted as disciples of can be reached is that silver has Italians were meeting with dis- and were replaced, after an in- became a bishopric, he insisted Wyclif, and Huss himself, peraster after disaster at the hands terval of Lombard power, by a on the use of Latin. Thus suaded by Sigismund of Hun-Wenceslas and his successors, gary, brother of Wenceslas, to trayal the world has known for has known. But morals re-nineteen centuries.

BOTH OF EARLY ORIGIN ruling over a still largely pagan travel under promise of a safe-nineteen centuries. which for three years fought a This process—the German priests from Germany. During fend his views before a General The story of this apparent losing war finally prevailed. This conquest and exodus—seems to the 12th and 13th centuries, Council of the Church, was ar-

> During the Japanese advance, century appears to have been German traders and craftsmen. The first effect of Huss's China's gateway and stronghold this newspaper received one or almost completely Slav, but even Already the Premyslids (as martyrdom was a virtual nawould admit. We believed then, data to be derived from these the Emperors the personal (not brad, elected first as Regent, and

then as Bohemia's only Protestant King, was the only purely By Lichty Czech monarch after the Premy-

After the reigns of Vladislav and Louis of Poland, to whom the Crown had passed, Bohemia fell in 1526 under four centuries of Hapsburg domination. The art-loving and eccentric Rudolph II., who made Prague again the capital of the Empire, issued the celebrated "Letter of Majesty" 1609, which gave the Bohemian Protestant religion ecclesiastical, and educational rights at least equal to those of the Catholic minority. Rudolph was, however, deposed, and the Crown passed in turn to his brother Matthew and his nephew, Ferdinand II., who determined to reconquer Bohemia for the Roman Catholic faith. The Thirty Years' War, which devastated so much of Europe. actually began with the celebrated "Defenestration of." Prague," when three of Ferdinand's Roman Catholic councillors were thrown out of a window of the castle into the moat—an experience which they survived. LINK WITH BRITAIN

It was at this point that the Diet deposed Ferdinand and (Continued on Page 5.)

GRIN AND BEAR IT



"Don't you dare throw that has away—it's cost me a fortune in check-rooms."

FOUR FROM SWEEP FIRES END TO END \$88,000 FROM

Last Act By Chinese In Evacuation Tragedy

ITERALLY SWAMPING CANTON FROM END TO END WITH PETROL AND KEROSENE, CHINESE REMNANTS AND CIVILIANS STARTED ON SATURDAY AFTERNOON THE BIGGEST MAN-MADE FIRE SINCE MOSCOW WAS BURNED IN 1812 TO CHECK NAPOLEAN.

A city which was once the home of nearly 2,000,000 people, and whose sons are scattered throughout the world, is rapidly being consumed by the the big Derby sweep at the flames, which have swept through all the most important blocks, leaving last annual race meeting of nothing but gutted ruins in their wake.

Fanned by a stiff north-easterly wind, the conflagration roared through Canton throughout Saturday night and all day yesterday and this morning was still burning fiercely in the Saichuen and Honam districts.

advance through the heart of Canton.

raids, are now two gigantic craters.

They were caused when two

ammunition dumps exploded at

10.10 a.m. The explosions

showered Shameen with debris

for fully five minutes, wounding

two Chinese on the island and

severely damaging at least

twenty buildings in the British

Christ Church were cracked, the

Locomotive, trucks, carriages and breaks.

set Shameen alight has been completely guited.

a huge pile of war materials await-

SATURATED AREAS

It is definitely known that the fires,

four of which broke out simultane-

ously in widely scattered areas, were

caused by the Chinese, who were wit-

nessed by several Europeans as they

saturated wide areas with kerosene

The fires commenced simultaneous-

ly on Saturday afternoon in Wongsha,

Honam Island, and the southern,

They raged along the entire bund

River Bridge, past the Shakee Canal to end.

from east of the damaged Pearl

which divides Shameen from the

Another conflagration almost com-

pletely gutted nine blocks through

the heart of the business area from

the bund to the Goddess of Mercy

the other side of the Pearl River.

every available garden hose.

INTENSE HEAT

French end of the Concession. . but !

extended for about two miles.

Along the bund the flames

was completely ablaze all day yester-

The Honam Island waterfront, on

city, to Wongsha.

Temple.

alight.

to cool off.

que and twisted shapes.

Concession.

The slames, spreading from building to building as

The central and Bund areas are heaps of smouldering

Where once stood the remains of the Wongsha

bingest skyscraper.

patients were evacuated to the

Y.M.C.A. DYNAMITED

order to allow a Japanese dynamite

squad to blow up the building in an

freely in attempts to create fire-

The flames, after destroying

Owing to fears that they would

be incinerated the authorities were

WATERFRONT BLAZE

in the western parts of Canton

proper, but Shameen is now con-

A computation of the damage

LOOTERS ACTIVE

drew, however, the looters immedi-

STILL A RAGING INFERNO

Canton, Oct. 24.

well over £50,000,000.

sidered safe.

two days.

visited the city.

meen defences had to constantly entire city is not patrolled.

Two small fires were started at the quarters building.—Reuter.

The Y.M.C.A. was evacuated

Hackett Memorial Hospital.

district, which suffered so heavily from Japanese air

The damage on the western end of effort to create a fire break.

Shameen island was so severe that Foreign residents aided

evacuated. The walls of famous blazes, but without success,

most of the buildings had to be Japanese in an attempt to isolate the

At Wongsha the havoc wrought Japanese could use, and throughout

ing shipment to Hankow were Wongsha, travelled towards the Sai-

blown sky high, landing hundreds chuen area, vomiting up the dregs of

of yards away in the most grotes- civilian refugees from the city's slum

bamboo bomb racks, placed atop the structures for

protection against air raids, spared neither European

nor Chinese premises in their ferocious and all-consuming

Wuhan Walls Placarded

HANKOW, Oct. 24. THE CHINESE Students' Association Anti-Japanese yesterday evening placarded and painted in Japanese alogans on many of Hankow's

walls, which read: "Japanese soldiers! Hankow is your grave-Japanese soldiers! Revolt against your militarists!"-United Press.

DEATH THREAT TO ARABS WHO REGISTER NAMES

(Continued from Page I.) before much damage was done. The First Royal Dragoons have arrived on board the British steamer Teiresins, at Haifa.—Reuter. JEWISH OPPOSITION

Italian Consulate collapsed. Among hopelessly handleapped by the the buildings on Shameen which absence of water, the dynamiting of At a meeting in London to-day of have had to be evacuated are the before they evacuated on Friday, completely disrupting water supplies.

Empire, a resolution was passed siderably damaged. opposing the restriction of Jewish siderably damaged. immigration to Palestine to by the explosions is terrific. The the day loud explosions testified to relegation of Jews in Palestine to online religious station and the first that the first the first that the first th have disappeared.

the status of a minority. The resolution also welcomed the decision of the British authorities to employ effective measures to suppress terrorism in Palestine, "In the interests of Jews and Arabs alike". The resolution expressed the conviction that the restoration ordered by the Government would pave the way for a more enduring co-operation between Jews and Arabs in the development of prosperity in the

country. The resolution added that Board was convinced that a permanent settlement of the Palestine problem must be based on the historic connection of the Jewish people with Palestine, and the right, internationally guaranteed to the Jewish people us embodied in the Palestine mandate which Britain accepted as a

The resolution concluded that the sacred trust. northern and bund areas of the city desperate need of the masses of, Jewish people who were the victims proper, of hate and persecution, for a permanent home makes such a settlen ent imperative.-Reuter.

G.B.S. Wants Bigger Alphabet

Declaring that "the simplification of spelling is hopeless," Mr. George Bernard Shaw adds: "What we want is an enlarged alphabet, like the Russian, which can spell the English language. Our present Latin alphabet cannot."

Mr. Shaw made these comments in reply to a auggestion from the Institute of Journalists' Conference at Keswick that he should serve on a sub-commiltee.

This committee hopes to produce a draft scheme to cetablish a body advising newspapers on the purity of the English language and simplification of spelling.

"I am too old to undertake further activities," replied Mr.

TYPHOON VICTIM

According to information reaching they were quickly subdued. the Metropolitan Police Board up to 2 o'clock last evening, two fishing boats are missing, 10 houses were completely destroyed and 70 damaged as a result of a typhoon which hit Oshima Island near here yesterday. Traffic was temporarily paralysed

as the ronds were badly washed away throughout the island. The Shintolhei Maru, 3,100 tons, which was moored in Okada harbour, has been stranded.-Domei.

Win Sweep

SYNDICATE AGAIN WINS BIG PRIZE

SAY THAT Dame Fortune plays the most freakish tricks sometimes may be trite, but is certain-

Remember the syndicate of Kowloon amaks who won the Hongkong Jockey Club?

On that occasion, they split Kell. up a sum of \$145,000 among

175238, crossed the finishing line Browne (Radio's Ploneer Ducttiats) at the head of the field on Saturday in the Kwangtung Handicap, the syndicate of amahs again

Their prize on this occasion is \$88,963.18.

syndicate also had a share in the last

In this case, it is understood that 199 amalis got together and bought a total of 55 tickets, one of which drew Salvage Master.

CAPTURED BY BANDITS

The majority of the amahs who made small fortunes on the 1938 Kwan Hotel, which is Canton's Derby did not keep their money for The French Doumer hospital caught aftre half-an-hour after the long, however.

They retired on their winnings and went back to live in the country. It of the affair, and one night they swooped down on Shuntak-the village in which most of the fortunate women lived-and took the whole lot into custody.

A major portion of the winnings passed into the hands of the bandits The amateur fire-fighters were as ransom.

Club Teams For The Week

The following teams have been selected to represent the Hongkong Hockey Club on Wednesday and Friday next.

1st XI Versus the Y.M.C.A. on the

forced to release all inmates of the Club ground at 5.15 p.m. Wednesday leper settlement and insane asylum. October 26. Club Team wear white as well as prisoners from the civic shirts. V. M. Benwell; L. F. Stokes, E. V.

Reed; H. J. D. Lowe, W. A. Reed, Across the Pearl River at Honam, N. B. Whitley; S. A. Fowler, T. D. the British wharves and foreign oil Whitley, G. E. R. Divett (Capt). B. I. One Chinese who attempted to installations appear to have been Bickford and V. Bond.

Umpire-Mr. G. T. Palmer. "A" XI Versus the H.K.S.R.A. on The fires were still flercely raging this morning at Honam and i the Club ground at 5.15 p.m. Friday, October 28:

H. F. Shlelds; W. Schnabel, J. E. Canton's famous silk street, Potter: W. A. Reed, H. J. D. Lowe, containing rich textiles and silks of L. F. Stokes; W. Brown, W. Spencer, fabulous value, was swept from end G. E. R. Divett (Capt), K. A. Bidmead and I. P. Tamworth.

wrought by the flames places it at What the Japanese attempted to do wind, and the magnificent efforts in twelve months' savage bombings the Shameen Volunteers, who toiled Stay Out Of The South (Dixon).... was accomplished by the Chinese in ceasely all day yesterday,

Greatest tribute must be paid to the organisers of the fire fighters, who are a group of German residents. Unless there is a fresh outbreak in Japanese patrols yesterday even- the area between the British bridge The flerce flames in the vicinity ing stood on guard outside the shops and Wongsha, the prospect of Shaof Shameen, especially at the on the Shakee front where looters meen being involved is very alight. French end, sent showers of were creating havoc. Three or four Nevertheless the authorities are not sparks over the Anglo-French Con- persistent looters who opposed the relaxing emergency measure, and cessions, necessitating the utmost Japanese soldiers' orders were naval units and volunteers were keepvigilance on the part of all the bayonetted and they are now lying ing a watch all night on the roofs of residents, who turned fire-fighters on the Shakee Bund in pools of blood. buildings and from other vantage and manned bucket brigades and When the Japanese patrol with- points.

water to prevent them eatening hitherto has been exemplary, accord- civil wars state that never before Ltd.) and Robert Farquharson as ing to the accounts of foreigners who in their experience was there a day Disraeli; Narrator, Laidman Browne; like yesterday.

across the narrow, channel that number of Japanese in the city, meen, and blew in the window frames land Graham; Lady-in-Walting to foreign residents manning the Sha- totalling approximately 1,500, the of the Royal Dutch Consulate, even Queen Victoria, Mary Hinton; Colonel uprooling the floor boards. The steel Ponsonby, The Queen's Secretary, retire from the waterfront in order Japanese headquarters have been winder frames of the Hongkong and Gordon McLeod; Prince Blamarck, established in the old Chinese head- Shanghai Bank were also blown to Howard Marion-Crawford; Lord smithereens, debris flying in the road- Tennyson, Norman Shelley; Singer: way after the concussion, while the Jan Van Der Gucht; Production by Swiss Consul and his family have John Cheatle. had to leave their home.

At nightfall yesterday the city was Following yesterday morning's ex-Buildings destroyed by the still a raging inferno, with a plosion, the keepers at the lunatic mammoth fire cast of the Bund area raylum at Pankhoktung, across the

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said to a mouse; Will you walk a
little faster (Lobster Quadrille);
Tis the voice of the lobster; Beautiful Soup; Queen of hearts; They told me you had been to her....Frank Luther with Instrumental Accompaniment: Studio-Serial Story-"Seeing the Empire"; Songs of the Sandman; Intro: The Green-Eyed Dragon (Wolseley Charles); Five Eyes (De La Marc-C. Armstrong Glbbs); The Mare and the Foal (Traditional) Tally Ho! (Praydon-Leoni) ... Wilfrid Thomas (Baritone) with Pano,

6.30 Beethoven—Symphony No. 3) In E Flat Major, Op. 55 (Eroica). Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

7.13 Song by Elisabeth Schumann The Shepherd on the Rock (Schu-

bert)....with Piano accomp, by George Reeves. Clarinet: Reginald Closing local Stock Quota-

7.25 London Relay-Music Hail.

Including Peter Dawson (Barihad been drawn by Ticket No. Raconteur) Elsie Carlisle and Sam with The BBC Variety Orchestra conducted by Charles Shadwell. Presented by John Sharman. 8.0 Time, Weather and Announce-

> 8.03 Webster Booth (Tenor) and London Palladium Orchestra.

I Hear You Calling Me (Marshall, arr. Haydn Wood); Bird Of Love Many members of the present Divine (Haydn Wood)....The Lon-yndicate also had a share in the last don Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean; A Song For You And Me (Rizzi); Moon Of Romance (Struchey) Webster (Tenor) with Orch.; Everybody's Songs (arr. Gechi); Intro: I passed by your window; Somewhere a voice is calling; Down Vaunxhall Way, I know of two bright eyes; O lovely Night, Passing by, Come to the Fair The London Palladium Orchestra cond. by Richard Crean; A Year of Theatre Land; Intro: Play, Orchestra, play (To-night at 8.30); Music in May (Careless Rapture); I went back to live in the country. It breathe on windows (Over she goes) was not long before bandits got wind Drop in next time you're passing (Going Places) Anything Goes (Anything Goes); Love is a dancing thing (Follow the Sun); Unbelievable (Swing along); This'il make you whistle (This'll make you whistle))Janet Lind and Webster Booth with Chorus and Orchestra.

8.33. Two Songs by Gitta Alpar (Soprano). Sing Something In The Morning (C. B. Cochran's 'Home and Beauty'); No More (C. B. Cochran's

'Home and Beauty') ... with Orchestra cond. by G. Walter, 8.40 B.B.C. Recording-A Talk on 'Speed' by Sir Malcolm Campbell. 8.50 Studio — Beethoven Trie

played by Prue Lewis (Violin), Ettore Pellegatti ('Cello) and Lindsay A. Lafford (Plano). 9,20 Three Songs by Alexander Kipnis (Bass).

Heldenroslein (Goethe-Schubert, Op. 3, No. 3); Impatience (Muller-Schubert, Op. 25, No. 7); The Erl King (Goethe-Schubert, Op. 1).... with Gerald Moore at the Piano.

9.30 London Relay-The News. 9.50 A Dance and Variety Programme.

Orch:—Antigua—Rumba,

Barbary Coast Blues....Joe Daniels and His Hot Shots in "Drumnasticks": Vocal and Pkino-I Won't A Soul (Parker-Charles), Two Shadows (from the Film).... Leslie Hutchinson; Instrumental-Pua Carnation (Traditional); Pali-Blues (Traditional)....The Tahlil Bencheombers; Vocal-Dinah (Lewis-Young-Akst); It Don't Mean A Thing (Ellington)....The Boswell Sisters accompanied by the Dorsey Brothers Orchestra; Three Silhouette-Fox-Pinnos-Little Jolly Fellows-Trot; Three Fox-Trot.... The Three Virtuosos; Vocal:-There's Something Spanish In My Eyes (Caesar and Friend); Sophie Tucker with Ted Shapiro and His Orchestra; Organ-Hot Pipes; Intro: The Toy Trumpet; I'm Gettin' Sentimental Over You; The Snake Charmer; Greenwich Witch; Twillight in Turkey; Serenade for a Wealthy Widow Torch. 10.33 The Band of H. M. Cold-

stream Guards. 1812 Overture (Tchaikovsky); Colonel Bogey-March (Alford). 10.45 London Relay-Victoria and Disracli'.

A play specially written for broadcasting by Hector Bolitho with Dame Old residents who went through Marie Tempest as Queen Victoria slons were constantly saturated with The behaviour of the troops previous Communist up-rising and (By permission of H. M. Tennent, Looting has been checked wher- Two terrific explosions occurred in servant, James Woodburn; Montague So intense was the heat from ever possible, but owing to the small the city yesterday which shook Sha- Corry, Secretary to Disraeli, Mor-11.45 Close down.

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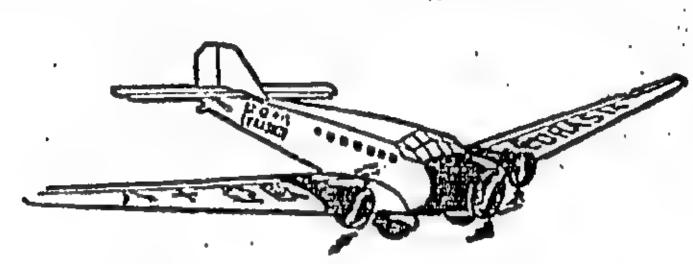
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The following vessels were in communication with Hongkong up to 6 p.m. yesterday and communication with them can reasonably be expected to-day:

Felix Roussel, Tegelberg. Rawalpindi, Hallan, Conte Blancameno, Sulyang: Municipal Headquarters, the developing into a tremendous area, ministry of Finance, the Great measuring between five and six for. MAIL DESTROYED

An adjournment of three days was. granted Detective-Sergeant J. Allen by Mr. H. R. Butters at the Central Magistracy on Baturday, when he prosecuted a postman, Chau Yu, 97; on two counts of destroying mail.

Municipal Headquarters, the Ministry of Finance, the Creat Easiern Hotel, the Hongkong Ferry wharves, the Post Office, New Ching Hotel and the Market and th

Canton, Oct. 24.

China Hotel and the 14-storey Of of a change in the direction of the meal.—Reuter.

Jumps-High INTERPORT LAWN

Eastern Defeated

First Time

South China Defence Too for Opposing

Unbeaten in three matches; Eastern tasted defeat for the first time in the First Division of the Hongkong Football League yestorday when they lost to South China "A" by five goals to nil at Caroline Hill. Expectations of good football from these two teams were not realised: the Caroline Hill men were far superior and, especially towards the end, completely dominated the play.

game, the game was ' fast ' and in- especially Hau Ching-to, who had a Teresting ... Though South China very poor game. Twice, however, attacked most of the time, he was in position to score but each the Eastern defence stood up to the time he failed. pressure and when the ball was After play had been in progress swing across to the other end, the for 15 minutes, Kwok Ying-kee put Caroline Hill club's goal had a nar- | South China in the lead with a fine row escape when Hau Ching-to, the header from a free kick taken by left+wing, just fuiled to beat Pau Tang Kwong-sum. He got his head

kee, an old Eastern player, had scored with a header for South China, the Eastern defence collapsed and did not offer nearly as much from the right, which dipped sud-resistance as it did in the opening dealy and entered the net in the far minutes. Only Hau, King-shing, the centre-half, retained his stendiness to the end; the others were too flustered to play constructive football but kicked wildly as soon as they had the ball.

A CONTRAST In contrast to the harried Eastern St. Andrew's backs remained calm and collected backs remained calm and collected even under the greatest pressure.

Defeated They offered a bulwark in which the attacking forwards could discern few toop-holes. As a result, Eastern had loop-holes. As a result, Eastern had loop-holes. As a result, Eastern had loop-holes. very few scoring opportunities. Nevertheless, the final score of 5-0 rather flattered the South China team because the Eastern forwards tried hard enough at times to deserve one goal at least.

Several changes in position when the second half commenced did the Eastern team little good; as a matter ponents.

to his old position in the centre, exchanges, in the first half and flanked by Lau Hing-choi on the would have been at least two goals ing-encounter by a goal to nil. right and Lee Kwok-wai on the left, to the good had Miss P. Cittins and South China intermediate line was a Miss E. Churn been more accurate very strong one indeed, as Eastern with their sticks. established in midfield paved the their victory very largely to Mrs. M. season a good send-off. way to their comfortable victory. White, their brilliant leader. In And when one adds that Lee Tin- characteristic style she broke through Mak Sul-hon seldom kicked wildly !"hat trick." Miss M. Booker was as he is prone to do, the enormity of responsible for the fourth. the task before the Eastern forwards | Saints' new inside-left, Miss A

keeper, could not be blamed for the danger whenever she get within shois which beat him. All were shooting range. The attack was unvery fine efforts. The second goal fortunate, however, to run'up against he might have saved; but Tang the C.B.A. pivot and captain, Miss I. corner hit, only missed his mark by throughout. Young V. Ribeiro, in Kwong-sum's shot was a deceptive Woolley, when she was in real form, one, curling back just enough to Miss J. Booker was also a tremendget under the ball.

SUEN BOTTLED the Eastern attack, was not allowed slowness in defensive work. back on their own, the other four mences.

Rothmans

A Turkish? - - - - - Good I

Rothmans No. 10 ? - - Better still 1 1

The Turkish Cigaretts

for particular people.

For the first 15 minutes of the were not nearly as effective as usual,

to the ball as it was sailing towards However, as soon as Kwok Ying- the goal-mouth and guided it past the out-stretched hands of the Eastern goalle. Ten minutes later, Jang Kwong-sum sent in a curling shot

> Leading by 2-0 at half-time, South China continued exerting pressure at (Continued on Page 9)

(By "The Pligrim")

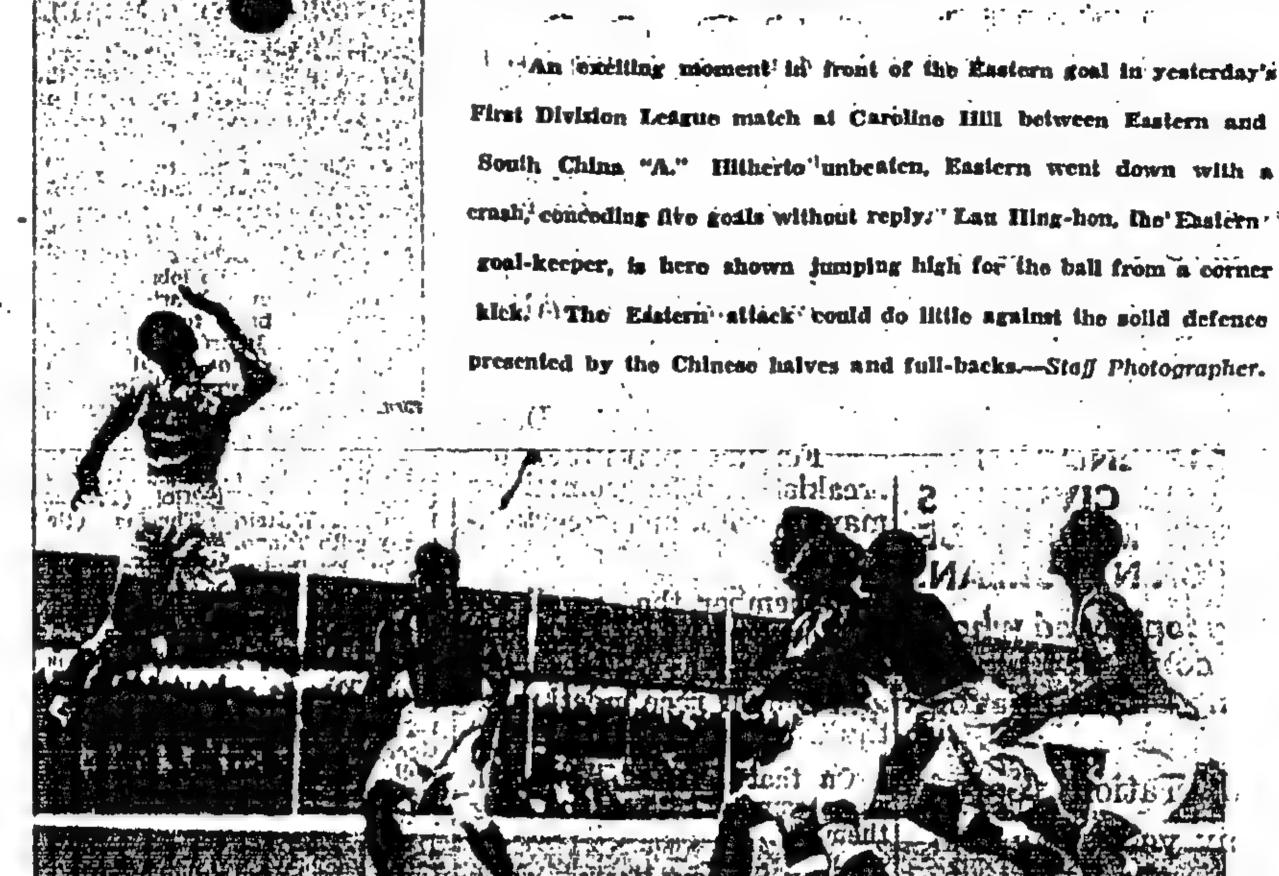
The C.B.A. gave a magnificent

display at King's Park last Saturday to defeat a strong St. Andrew's combination by four goals to two. There was a surprising transof fact, the defence 'seemed weak- formation in this game when both ened, for it was in the last 35 minutes in the second half found that South China over-ran their op- their shooting form, six goals being With Leung Wing-chiu returning Saints had slightly the better of the

scored during this period.

Greiner, who scored both their goals, Lau Hing-hon, the Eastern goal- was most energetic and threatened Peggy Everest was splendid at right

to make his customary passes to his On their showing on Saturday, the colleagues but was tackled first time C.B.A. should develop into a strong E. L. Gosano gave little away with in my opinion, the C.B.A. were worth



For The Ball

RECREIO SCORE CLOSE VICTORY OVER THE C.B.A.

First Match Played In H.K.H.A. Tournament

(By "The Pilgrim")

In the first Hongkong Hockey Association Tournament game of the season, the Club do Recreio, on their home ground at King's tween the sides in the first half Just when everything seemed over noon. The Footballers will be re-Park yesterday morning, defeated the C.B.A. in a fast and interest-

both teams were at full strength. Taylor, though they played well, to find his mark. found to their cost. The superiority However, the C.B.A. dominated Supporters turned up in force to were too often caught out of position. On resumption, the "Y" had most which the South China half-backs play in the second half and owed give the first match of the present Their covering also-was faulty.

> of the whistle and within five ter what happened in the later minutes a hard pass sent in across stages. J. Gonsalves, Beltrao and the goal-mouth by J. Soares, on the Ozorlo were consistent in the attack. right wing, was intercepted by H. J. Soares, on the right, was the most Ozorio, who made no mistake in impressive winger. W. A. Reed, as finding the net with a rising shot.

other end and Bickford, from a Marques, at right half, was grand inches. G. Fowler in turn sent in a goal, was a big success with his hefty terrifle first-timer which crashed kicking. ous worker at right half. Miss lagainst the upright and rebounded into play. Luck seemed to be Such Kam-shuen, the "brains" of back and made up for her partner's There were times in the second half the winners, defeated well, but were when the C.B.A. seemed certain to lucky to take both points. It was, their first-time clearances.

ERRATIC SHOOTING

G. Fowler, as leader of the attack, was the best of the forwards. He showed he was no believer in the "get rid of the ball at any price" theory. His dribbling ought to have yielded better results but like the rest of the line, he could do nothing right at close quarters. Stan Mac-Nider, at right half, gave a poor display and was content to join the

So far as hockey skill was con-The fast-moving Recreto attack cerned, the Rees did enough in the pivot, came into prominence during Play was soon transferred to the the second period of the game and

gainst the C.B.A. sharp-shooters, escapes in the closing stages. Recreto, line of defence. a point,

Y. M. C. A. REVEAL FINE FORM

second half. N. Whitley was the ground at King's Park last Saturday, quicker-thinking team.

Suggestion to Umpires By "The Pilgrim"

In his weekly hockey notes on Thursday, "The Pilgrim" will write on "Suggestions to Umpires." He can be relied upon to give some useful suggestions; so, players and umpires, be on the look-out!

They scored three goals without reply against the Radio and Postal Sports Club.

cess through Kraus, Radio should magnificent recovery which all but can, E. Tuck and W. Gill (skip).

Bartlett, Kraus and Rose, were more convincing. Rose got the second sang was at his best at left back and the Saints' defence to complete the knitted together from the first blow first half to earn full points, no mat- goal with a terrific first-timer just all the way." A few minutes later. Bartlett, by clever anticipation, added the third.

> Dawson was as usual a success at centre-half, intercepting centres in one to watch than the Second Interbetter of Dunn and Jangeer Singh. piling up their points in the middle Both goals had several narrow Starbuck and Taylor formed a solid stages of the encounter.

WEAK RADIO ATTACK

The Rudio attack was often at Awtar Singh below their usual better than the Hongkong players. standard. The forwards battered in vain against a strong defence but the pretty stickwork and individual play Shanghai. When Wallace drove the now a doubtful rider in the got them nowhere. M. H. Hassan as jack into the ditch to score four on Cesarewitch.—Reuter. pivot was in the limelight with his cool defensive work, and was well supported by Kitchell on his right. J. Singh and M. Singh were notable for long and haphazard clearances without respect for direction or

Most agreeable to their supporters The Radiomen, as a team, indeed speciators in watching his team play was the surprising form which the gave a rather poor display, but they from the side-line throughout the Y.M.C.A. showed on their home were up against a well-bulanced and -anya vehicales sie



Mr. R. P. Phillips, who umplied the Third Bowls Interport on Saturday on the Club de Recreto.

2 room, is measuring for the shot on one of the beads, while the other players look on. Shanghal led by 19-4 at one stage of the game and wen only by 19-17 in the end.—May Photographer.

SERIES ANNEXED

BY SHANGHAI

Hongkong's Recovery Made Too Late In The Match

Shanghai clinched the Interport Lawn Bowls series on Saturday by winning the third match against Hongkong on the Club de Rocreio green. They tied the first match at 20-20, won the second easily by 30-10 and the third by 20-17.

to get to within two shots of their ly for him to carry, the kitty. On opponents' total and when the last another occasion, on the 18th when end was played, Shanghai led only Hongkong were lying four, Wallace, by 10-17.

Unfortunately for Hongkong, J. A. slight, wick, da Luz, the lead, threw the jack into the ditch in his effort to make it n long head, and K. L. Swartzell, his unable to save the four after the opposite number in the Shanghai jack had been taken down to the rink, promptly rolled the jack only ditch. Except for the first shot, the just past the flag for a very short others were two yards away, but in

out. Shanghal had revelled on the one of which was when he picked short heads, and Hongkong seemed out a Shanghai wood to give his side more at home on the long ones. And five on the 19th head. true to the form displayed earlier on, Shanghal managed to score on this last vital head, taking a single to win by 20-17.

NOT RELIABLE

Many people had regarded the Hongkong rink, comprising J. A. da Luz, F. X. M. da Silva, C. G. Silva and U. M. Omar (skip) as the best of the three Hongkong rinks, partly because the first three were playing on their own green. Peculiarly enough, however, it was Omar who gave the best performance of the four. The other three were not as reliable as had been expected.

After their win in the Second Interport, it was only natural that Shanghai would again rely on K. L. Swartzell, J. M. C. Lopes, A. M. Gutierrez and Hugh Wallace (skip) to carry them through. Once again, these four did not let the side down.

Playing very well together, especially in the first 15 heads, the

However, in the last head, Lopes put one wood two inches in front of the jack, and despite all the efforts of the Hongkong men, the wood remained the shot until the end.

ALWAYS INTERESTING

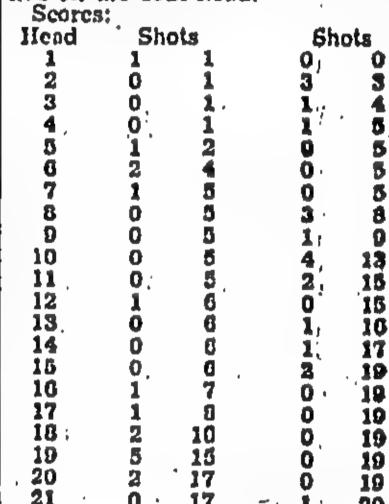
The game was a very much better great style. Rose at inside left was port, though not as consistently the best forward and was always an exciting as the First. Nevertheless hiert opportunist. Kempton, the there were some constantly-changing right half, was also outstanding and heads which kept the interest alive full of energy, always getting the even when the Shanghai men were

Hugh Wallace and U. M. Omar, the two skips, were the outstanding players, both being often in the limelight. On the whole, the Shangsixes and sevens, with Dunn and hal men pulled together a little bit

Whatever luck there was went to following a motor accident. He

At one stage of the encounter on the tenth head, he was aided by a Saturday. Shanghai led by 19-0, but slight wick which changed the the local players made a great rally direction of his wood just sufficientwith his last wood, was somewhat lucky to save two, helped by another

. Omar failed badly when he was his anxiety to draw first shot, he came up too heavy. On the other The green was very fast through- hand, he played several levely woods,



RINKS CHOSEN

The Shanghai players will visit the There was not a great deal be- Shanghai men ran away to a 19-0. Hongkong Football Club this afterwhen the home team met with suc- bar the shouting, Hongkong staged a presented by J. S. Howell, G. Dunhave levelled the score through carried them to level terms. Singles To-morrow the visitors will go to Pyara Singh but on two occasions, on the 10th and 17th, a two on the Government House to play against The weather was glorious and best half and the backs, Bond and with Benwell at his mercy, he failed 18th, a five on the 19th and two on H. E. The Governor's team. The the 20th made the Hongkong score rinks in opposition will be as

Shanghal K. L. R. Swartzell E. S. Carter W. J. MacDermott J. Deakin (skip) (skip) J. M. C. Lopes J. W. Brierley

Mason A. Hyde-Lay J. T. McGowan A. M. Gutlerrez

JOCKEY HURT IN MOTOR ACCIDENT

London, Oct. 23. The well-known jockey, Maher, has been admitted to the Cambridge Nursing Home with scalp wounds



CLUB UNFORTUNATE IN RUGGER MATCH AGAINST THE NAVY

Bidwell Absent And Chadwick Injured In Opening Minutes

(By "Fly-Half")

The Navy defeated the Club by 22 points (two goals and four trics) to nil at Causeway Bay on Saturday; but the game was of very little help in ascertaining the respective strength of the two

Neither scrum half rose above

mediocre. E. C. Luscombe was slow

STUCK TO TASK

attacked and were rewarded with a

try by Askwith which Elliot conver-

ted. Boddington, Wells, Darling,

Ogle and Elliot added further tries

(Kent); L/S. Romana (Eagle), A. B

(Eagle); L/S. Webb (Daring), S.B.A

Stoker (Medway); Lt. Darling (Mcd-

way), Lt. Ogte (Phoenix), Lt

(Continued from Page, 8)

the resumption and were rewarded

when Lai Shiu-wing found the net

with a terrific drive from close

range. The same player gave South China a 4-0 lead after this half had

been in progress for 25 minutes, and before the final whistle blew, Fung

King-cheung rubbed it in to Eastern

South China "A",-Pau Ka-ping; Mak Sul-hon, Lee Tin-sang; Lau

Hing-chol, Leung Wing-chiu, Lee Kwok-wai; Tang Kwong-sum, Lai

Shiu-wing, Fung King-cheung, Kwok

Eastern, - Lau Hing-hon; Wong

Wing-hong, Miu Wah-kwok; Ho

Chor-yin, Hsu King-shing, Lo Wui-

Ying-kee and Law Tau-man.

and Hau Ching-to.

Boddington (Medway).

Beaten For

First Time

Eastern

with a fifth.

(Eagle) Shipt. Staple:

points on one occasion.

to go too high when tackling.

first-time tackling and powerful all the tries being scored from within divided, thrusts might have made all the the twenty-fives. Wells, on the Navy left, is a strong runner with difference to the result.

It was also very unfortunate for exceptional turn of speed. the Club to lose G. K. Chadwick in proved a match for D. H. Stewart the opening minutes of the game, who did not once get past him. through a shoulder injury received when he was tackled in full flight. There is a probability of his injury keeping him out of the game for

wing-forwards always on top of him. some time. The brilliance of Licut. Elliot, playing at stand-off half, aided by constant backing-up, was the cause of Club's defeat. Lieut. Elliot sidestepped his vis-a-vis time and again to leave his three one man over and movement.

CLEVER RUN

dividual runs with the one made by obviously tiring that the Navy into the wicketkeeper's hands. W. E. Grieve outstanding. Coming hooked with any regularity. In the into possession in his own half, he loose mauls, the Navy pack was weaved his way through the Navy superior, getting the ball out on most forwards and halves, only to be occusions. tackled on the opposing "twenty-five" and with no one backing up to. With the Navy preferring scrums receive his pass. It was the best run to line-outs, very little line-out play of the day and it was a pity it was was seen and in this department the not put to adantage by his team- honours went to Navy. In the loose

the Navy forwards over-ran the Chil. Of the full-backs on view, Lieut, men who were inclined to tackle high. Stevens was the better although he Outstanding in the Navy pack were was seldem called upon to tackle. Ogle, Boddington and Darling; and His positioning and fielding and in the Club lot were Taylor, Bompas, touch-kicking were all that could be Richardson and Salter. desired. W. M. MacGrath was frequently enught out of position but

SPORT ADVTS

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

Forms for the Tenth Extra Race R. Grieve, G. Wilson, D. H. Steward; the innings, veteran R. S. W. Pater-Meeting to be held on Saturday, A. H. R. Butcher, E. C. Luscombe; son entered to show that he had mitting) may be obtained at the Oliphant, W. B. Richardson, A. J. G. a very nice 28 not out. Secretary's Office, Exchange Build- Taylor, G. J. P. Carey, ing; the Club House, Happy Royal Navy:-Paym. Lt. Stevens home attack lacked hostility, and on figures were reached by O'Bryen (a Valley; the Hong Kong Club; the P. O. Askwith (Dainty), Lt. Bailty fairly easily, although not so regu- occasion), R. E. Lee and Teddy Sports Club; and the Stables, (Engle) Shipt. Wells (Medway); larly as one would have expected. Fincher, but the other batsmen could Lt. Elliot (Engle), Mid. Findlay

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All-Round Strength ENJOYABLE GAME AT K.C.C.

(By "Veritas")

It will be very surprising if the Hongkong Cricket Club do not have a lot to say about the second division cricket, championship this season. Barring loss of players through acci-Club promise to turn out one of the Mackay had the distinction of scoring best balanced sides in the division, Club started the game without the more than made up for it by his K.C.C., at Cox's Road on Saturday, services of H. D. Bidwell, the cap-splendid retrieving. services of the wings had long runs, drawn with honours, very evenly

A. C. Beck turned out for the side in this match, but the team can hardly expect to enjoy his services as he is booked for the senior eleven. Nevertheless they will have Stoker, who did not play on Saturday, bolster the attack, which already is quite varied and hostile with Fox, to get round to the base of the scrum Divett. Bond and Bishop to aid with the result he found the Navy Skipper Eric Mitchell.

Bishop, in fact, promises to be their Talbot was missed by the best all-rounder. He scored a glorious half-century on Saturday, and although not so successful with the ball, did flight it eleverly at times, Credit must be given to the Club and when he struck a length needed generally a forward to complete the mack for the way they stuck to their careful watching. He was capable task despite playing one man short. of making the batsmen reach for the K. W. Salter hooked well and it was ball just outside the off stump, and not until well into the second half he forced Bertram Lay into the most Club had one or two elever in- when the Club forwards were frantic of strokes which put the ball

VERY TIMELY 50

But his best contribution to the game was as timely a half century as any side could wish for. Club were not in a particularly happy position when he came in having lost six ! wickets for 80 runs. But Bishop immediately dominated the bowling, punishing anything on the off which was not ideal in length with tremendous drives which put the ball through the covers at lightning speed on a very fast outfield. Seven finely hit boundaries, and a five, the handsomely. Whitmarsh was also Right from the whistle, Navy gems of a splendid knock.

Less spectacular, but very sound and correct, was the innings of 40 for Navy with Wells adding the extra | booked for his 50 when Lay got past a hitherto rigid defence. King opened the innings and was eighth man Stewart on the Club wing found out, having defied the bowling for Wells hard to pass and was inclined an hour and three-quarters. H. J. D. The teams were: Club lat XV:-- K.C.C. bowling in cavaller manner, Judgment, Draft Programmes and Entry W. M. MacGrath; G. K. Chadwick, hitting up a quick 35, while late in

> Lay also kept the runs down at the to score quick runs. opening. But the game clearly indicated that on anything but a nasty wicket, the K.C.C. attack is likely to game. be somewhat innocuous this year.

REFRESHING BATTING

Set to score 160 to win in 105 minutes, Kenneth Baxter and left handed Mulcahy set about the task with evident relish. Mitchell dld not use Beck at the start and in half an hour Baxter and his captain had put 50 on the board. Beck came on to slow down the rate of scoring after the 80 had been hoisted, and he quickly got Mulcahy's wicket with a lovely ball. Baxter had lost his wicket just before by hitting an ordinary ball from Bishop into Bond's hands at forward mid-on. His 54 was made in very quick time and was featured by some grand stroking on the offside of the wicket. He claimed nine boundaries.

Mulcahy's 33 was slightly more painstaking though he helped to maintain a rate of scoring of nearly two runs a minute. After their dismssal the Club obtained some cheap wickets, but Gray hit vigorous-ly, and found the boundary eight times in a knock of 37. The home side was never in danger of detent, and when stumps were drawn had scored 154 for 7, with Madar and Luke still in possession.

Beck bowled only five overs, but

was effective enough to make three of these maidens and to take one kuen; Lee Tak-kee, Chau Man-chi, wicket for ten runs. Lowe bagged Suen Kam-shuen, Soong Ling-sing three wickets for 37 and Bishop had two for 25.

Club Shows Norman Mackay Scores Century For K.C.C. Against Volunteers

(By "Veritas")

Cricket at its best was enjoyed at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday, when, under ideal conditions, and on a perfect wicket, with an outfield as fast as an ice-skating rink, a K.C.C. eleven beat the Volunteers by two wickets.

Five and a half hours of play produced 432 runs for the total loss dents or other circumstances, the of 18 wickets, and of these, Norman

> It was on innings punctuated by some dazzling off-drives, powerful hooks and pulls, and one or two remurkably "If-y" shots, one of which should have lost him his wicket when he had scored 30, and another when he had passed the 60 mark. Nevertheless, in view of the array of bowlers he faced, and the fact that quick runs were essential if the K.C.C. were to win, his knock stands as an outstanding achievement. 50 IN 30 MINUTES

His innings occupied two hours of . actual batting, the brightest part being his first 50 which he collected in half an hour by hitting eleven boundaries. After tea he was subdued, but he scored another eight 4's ere he was caught behind the wicket off Beck, whose short bumping balls were hostile, but which lacked

The Volunteers' innings did not contain the same fireworks, but several batsmen made useful contributions in an interesting manner. Griffiths was strong on the leg side in compiling 40, though he was terribly uncomfortable against Whitmarsh, who was the most impressive of the home bowlers, maintaining an excellent length and turning the ball sufficiently to keep the batsmen playing at him.

Souza made his 32 in stylish and effortless manner, Perry batted skilfully for his 31 and Percira hit hard to amoss 33 not out.

Whitmarsh and Sargent bothered the batsmen. Both centrated on length which result of an overthrow, were the fast off the pitch, while Sargent depended a great deal on his eleverness in flighting the ball.

Although the Volunteers used by R. M. M. King, who appeared battery of seven bowlers, only Beck looked really dangerous. But he was imclined to be "all over, the shop," and sent down only about a dozen really good balls. Mackay hooked and cut his high bouncing Lowe was another who treated the ones short of a length with splendld

MACKAY DOMINATED

Mackay dominated the K.C.C. scoring to such an exicut that the N. A. E. Mackay, e Fox b Beck 119 Brondbridge, who showed a strong R. E. Lee, b Pereira defence in hitting up 26. Double D. J. N. Anderson, e Bompas b Pereira Apart from Luke and Lay, the defence in hitting up 26. Double Luke had one fine spell when he took have scored more if they had not be two wickets in successive balls, and conceded their wickets in an effort

Finally the home side just managed to beat the clock and won a fine

VOLUNTEERS



G. Souza, c Anderson b Whitmarsh . alone E. A. Bompas, c Anderson b Whitmarsh 1 G. E. Divett, st. Mackay b Sargent ... Beck, b Whitmarsh L. McKenzie, run out Stoker, e Baxter b Bargent 10 H. Fox, c Baxter b Sargent

Total 215

Bowling Analysis O'Bryen Whitmarsh 22 Sargent 9.1

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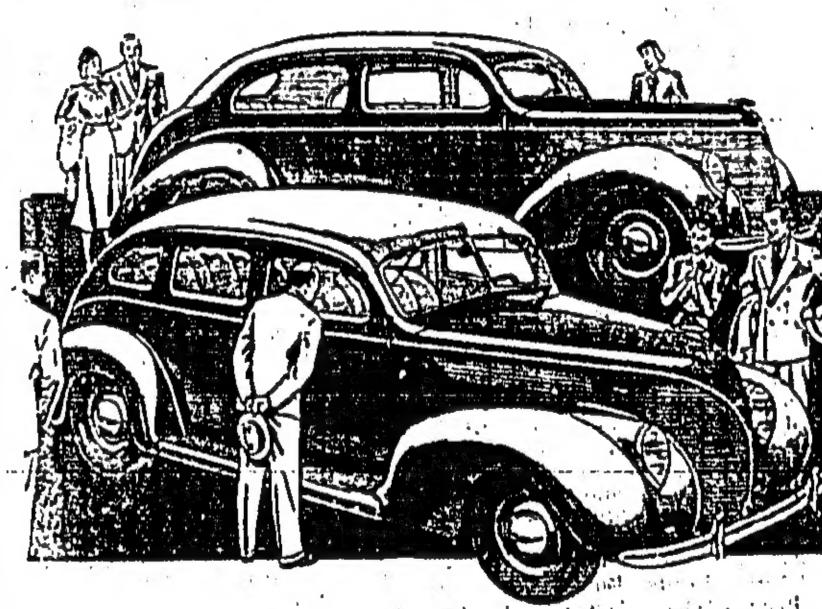
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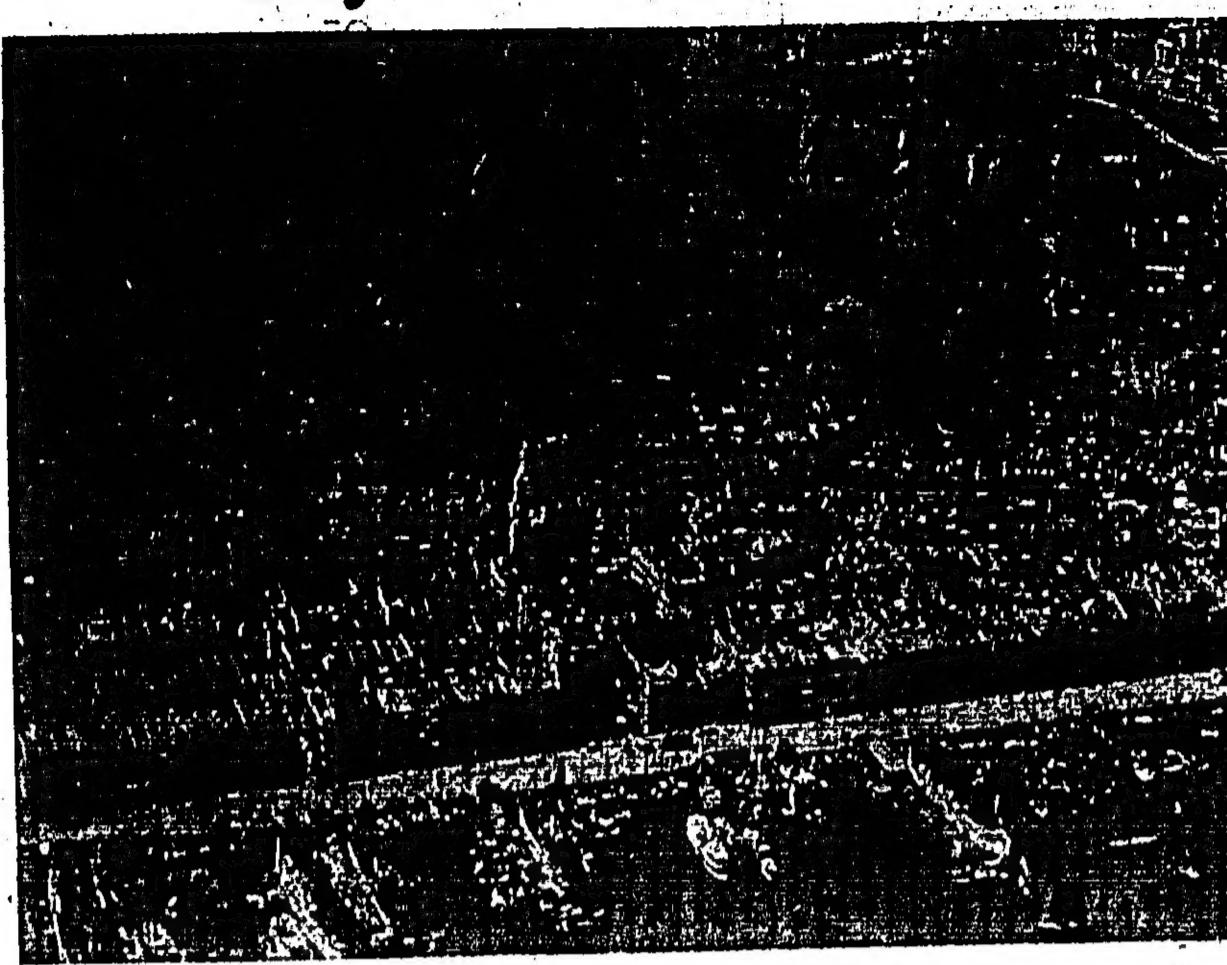






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fairyland of colour like the Chinese curling branches called the chain of Like a flash came the answer, level trees in the curio shop winjewel trees in the curio shop win-love.

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tories on the shore to protect it. to the immediate whites of the and stop what "looks self-contradic-Now with the money-making which men and the gay flowered dresses tory."

accompanies war the city is even of higher class Chinese. There

more prosperous. that this is not China. In a sense, In the city I have dired with against war. Wasn't that so." of course, it is not. The British ad- Lulu Wong, Anna May Wong's sisministrators have instituted many ter, herself-well-known in the wes- tion too, I said. If Chinese women reforms which are western, and tern theatre world, and have gone were in power would they stop that underneath my windows at the Pen- with her to a Chinese play where form of minor but accepted graft insula Hotel is the starting point of the property man wearing a singlet that in the Far East is "squeeze." the longest continuous railway line trotted about, the actors addressed Some of them thought that huin the world on which you might the audience in long dialogues, one man beings, men and women, were travel to the English Channel in of the women players in a chiffon pretty, much alike. But most of three weeks. That is, you might if robe embroidered with sequins them believed that women would the way were not blocked by fighting flourished an American cotton hand- be more honest in public life than

in the north. But in another sense the city has colours, the orchestra from one much Chinese atmosphere. The for-corner of the stage squealed and eigners are definitely in the minor-banged away, the wings were One of them advanced the opinion ity. There is the constant clop, clop crowded with watchers (some of that women want little beyond a few of heelless shoes on the pavement, them crying bables), the audience dresses and some jewelry, and "not Rickshas are the popular means of cracked pumpkin and melon seeds, the millions that men can spend in conveyance. The harbour is thronged and a small boy stood for hours one night."
with golden sailed sampans and down in front of the stage intent. Chinese women know that junks, some of them floating kitchens on the performance. junks, some of them floating kitchens. I have done many things. But haven't we been spending money for like the Xochimilto boats purveying the most enjoyable was a luncheon years on airplanes and ammunitions to the pleasure boats and to the with seven Chinese women where for defence and where are those birpeople from the swimming clubs, of we talked frankly and as friends. planes and those ammunitions now?"

which there are many. For the Since what we said might not be We talked more of what women the chinese, both men and women, have Chinese, both men and women, have altogether acceptable in some are doing in China to-day, one of having as many as 500 members.

CHINESE QUARTERS

way to the knees. Artists display their wares along dollar a month in dues, and helping come out and be a part of the the walls like the open-air markets to raise thousands of dollars for re- world.

BY MARJORIE SHULER

Staff Writer of The Christian Science Monitor

Even before the Japanese-Chinese Kam Tin, a walled city where pigs "rude" question they said. Would I conflict the city had become one of and chickens jostle hordes of dirty mind? No. Well then, when Amerithe great ports of the world and children and the muddy tatters of cans talk so much against aggrestingland had leased the New Territor the immediate whites of the and story why don't they help China now the story of the and story where the provention whites of the and story where the sto

TALKS WITH WOMEN

kerchief striped in gaudy sport men.

taken to the water, together and in quarters. I shall not name my the guest's remarking that "before western suits, some of the clubs hosiess, other than to say that she the war it was the Chinese women having as many as 500 members. A few of the Chinese wear the that she did not contribute to the old secluded existence for anything old-time dress ... But ... for the most frank conversation. in the world. In the world of one

dresses, slashed on both sides half unbound feet and of the place they same work."

Hongkong-In the last 52 days I +11-11-11-11-11-11-11-1-1-1 lief work, including the care of Chinese war orphans. MENU SERVED

> We flourished our chopsticks over n meal which was just a little snack, I beginning with sharks' fins in combs, I fried prawns, and eastern meion in dishes made of gold dust, their love-You can buy everything from ly imperial yellow sides carved by

force the wealthy to give their There is another bit of old China money and buy ammunition and airover on the mainland where the planes, everything to win the war. New Territories jut toward Canton, The women wanted to ask me a

> There was only one way to answer that. If we women actually were a council all of us should be

I would like to ask a "rude" ques-

WOMEN DESIRE LITTLE

"squeeze" exists, she added, "for presides over one of the great who sat about hotel lobbles and now Chinese houses of Hongkong, and I it is the Chinese men." They agreed shall further protect her by adding that they would not return to their part the men have deffed their long. We talked of the tremendous pro- woman, "Why should we be pressed robes for trousers, and we women gress of this generation of women, down? We have the same kind of their trousers for long straight the first to come to maturity with brain as a man and we can do the

are taking in politics, of the "alloy- As we walked out through the A few blocks from the big tourist way education" in which they have garden, the Chinese women in their hotels are typical Chinese quarters, volunteered to teach children, of flowered dresses like butterflies crowded streets lined with open their presence at the front as hovering over the great blue pots of shops and hung with masses of soldiers and first aid workers, and flowering zinnias I believed what I posters. The letter writers do bust- of the relief associations. One of have been hearing during all of my ness along the pavement, as do the these, the Hongkong Chinese Wo- stay in Hongkong. "The women are dentists with their bootins bung men's Soldiers Relief Association, China to-day," and I was glad that with long strings of the teeth they was started within the year by eight I had come all these thousands of presumably have pulled. The for- women and now has more than 2,000 miles if only to see them burst the tune tellers elbow the chiropodists members each paying a Hongkong chrysalis of tradition and habit and

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rather than go to his own home in New Orleans. Madame Val-

laire, a neighbor, announces she is going to New Orleans for some

dental work. Froufrou, longing to make the trip, insists she, too,

has a toothache.

Chapter Two

MIDNIGHT ADVENTURE

Madame Vallaire's carriage, its blinds drawn, bumped over the rough roads leading to New Orleans. Frontrou lifted the shades and peered eagerly into the night. "We're somewhere!" she and nonced excitedly. "Look—there's a church." Louise looked out the window.

Louise looked out the window. "Yes, that's the Chapel of Sainto Catherine."

"The one you told me about?"
cried Froufron. "Where everyone
goes to pray for a husband?"
. Louise sent a timld glance toward Madame Vallaire, and noting the other's amused smile, ventured pose you tell me yours, sgain."

Pick. Froufrou's personal slave, tioned toward the room where the opened her eyes wide. "Ab hyeard guests were dancing. "If I tell

ders. Froufrou, with Pick close bedown the stairs. Once outside they ran to the church. It was deserted. They lit their candles, offered their prayers, and in short order were back at the house. As they entered the gate, Froufrou handed her shawl and

cloak to Pick. "Take these," she whispered. 'Tm going to watch the party for a

and slipped along the balcony to an open French window, at which stood a table set with two glasses and a bottle of champagne. She dropped into the chair, picked up the glass, filled it and drank it as if it word water. Then, her clows on the table, her face cupped in her hands, she watched the party with eager eyes.

A handsome young man, very much the gay New Orleans blade, came suddenly upon her. He stopped in surprise, his face very evidently indicating the fact that he could not place her. evening?" he asked pleasantly and

sat down in the chair next to hers. Fraufrou looked up in astonishment, then, smiling mischievously, leaned forward to ask: "Have you

out who she was, "I'm trying to remember your name." "Isn't that funny?" she laughed.
"And I'm trying to remember

Yours." He was genuinely surprised, "Sup-Instead of answering she mo-



of dat Ste Cahterine," she said you will you dance with me? Just breathlessly. "Day min't nothin' she once — no — twice — around the cain't do, from healing what ails room?" you to gitting you a husband. Ah alm to burn a candle to her mah-self."

"But just for a- moment," she

the time comes, Pick." kinks took out of man hair." They laughed with delight but Frontrou stopped shork and cried: "The carriage has stopped-"
Madame Vallaire nodded, "We've

arrived," she explained. The coachman opened the door. Pick jumped out and Madame Vallaire, Froufrou and Louise followed. From the windows of the great name?" Well-I'm the man who's giving house before them rang the sound the party." of music and laughter. the party. The party is party. The party is party. The party is party. The party is party is party. The party is party is party. The party is party is party is party. The party is party is party is party. The party is party is

"Something's going on." Madame Vallaire?" Vallaire remarked drily. "Right!" he lauge "It's a party!" or ied Froufrou head to kiss her. ecstatically and she hurried ahead. She turned in dismay. "I must toward the half open gate, "We're go-Oh-I must gojust in time! Shall we go up and put on our party dresses-or shall we go in the way we are?" Suddenly a man ran through one . "What do you mean?" he de-

of the long windows, a girl in his manded in astonishment. arms. The girl screamed prettily "You don't have to come with and released herself. He ran after me. I know my way to my room," ber, caught her in his arms and she said quickly, and darted out klased her. Madame Vallaire turned the window, onto the balcony, down to her comman, her face livid the steps, across the garden and with rage and indignation. into the house, In her room, she "Find someone to take care of called for Pick and her voice awoke

us," she ordered. "And Monsteur Louise. Andre is not to be informed." She pointed the way to the rear door, have you been?" Mademoiselle Gilberte, you'll nelther change your dress nor go in A sudden knocking at the door as you are. We start back early stopped her short. temorrow morning." "Start, back home?" Froutrou's outside her door was Andre's. "Ob, eyes filled with tears.

by, and with a strong hand, she pounding at the door, "let me in, ushered her sister and Pick up the Eweet!" In their room, Frontrou and Pick theirs burst open. "What's all this whispered disconsolately. "If I hubbub?" demanded Madame Valeighed Frontron. here?

Catherine anything," muttered "Mamma, I was looking for you-Pick.

"Oh but I want a husband," whise pered Froutrou desperately. "No of the girls room and stuck in her girl has any fun until she's mar head. We leave New Orleans for

Catherine." she announced severely, then, close Pick gared at her with pleasant ing the door with a sudden bang. alarm. "Tonight?" she saked she pulled her son into her own Frontrou stared back with dance And Andre, returning eventually ing eyes. "Why not? Even Madame to his room, awakened his servant Vallaire couldn't find fault with us Bruins.

dressed by the light of a single candle. Then, throwing a clock and scarf over her liesd and shoul-

"You want to dance? Splendid!"

Frontrou eyed her severely, "Papa got to her feet unsteadily, suddenly and I will find you a husband when Jeeling the champagne. He put his arm about ber and ushered her to "But it sin't a husband Ah the dance floor, wants," protested Pick, "It's de "You haven't told me your name,"

he said. "Froufrou." "Froufrout That's not a name-"

"It's my name." "And is it the only one I'm to know?" "Yer-can you remember it?" "I can never forget it." "Now," she smiled. "What's your

"You're Monsieur Vallaire? Andre "Right!" he laughed and bent his

"Where?" he saked. "Upstairs-to bed-" She resied

alightly.

"Gilbertel" cried Louise, "where "To church-oh, what fun!"

"Froutroul" the voice calling from "Oh," cried Louise, "this is disgraceful."

Madame!" Warned Louise stern- "Frourrou!" insisted Andre. The door of the room next to

"We won't even git to ax Bte. Andre stared at her blankly. what a surprise-"

ried. I must burn a candle to Sainte your father's plantation tomorrow."

Vallaire couldn't find fault with us for going to church."

Bhe tip-toed to the other side of the room to make certain that Louise was soundly saleep. Then, in pantomime, she ordered Pick to open her value and pick out her gayest frock.

"You aint going to wear fat kind of dress to church, is you, Missy?"

Pick was plainly soundalized.

"Why not?" Froutrou whispered hoursely.

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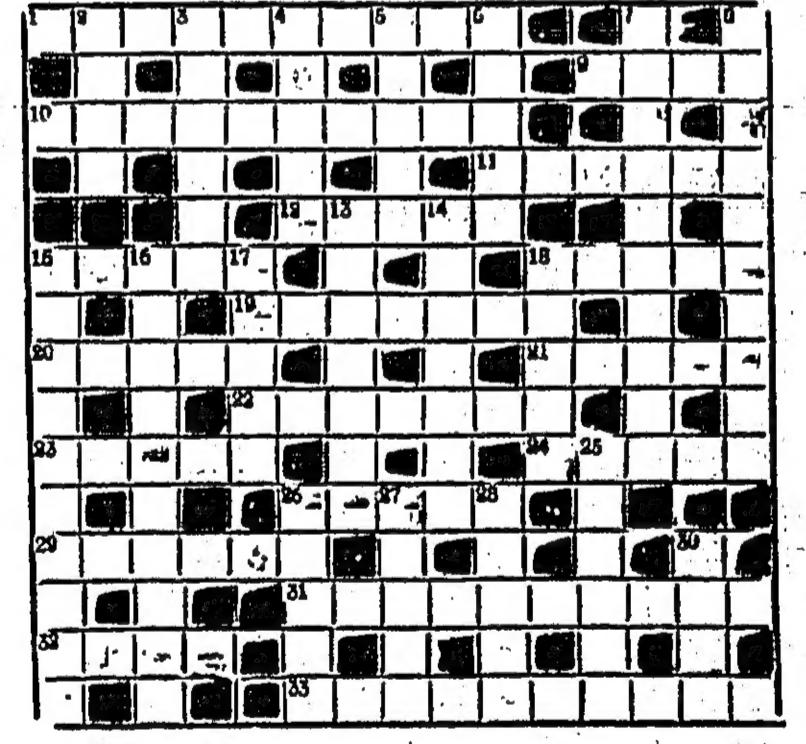
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12 A bit of a rotten nulsance (5). 15 Most of this mixture is put in Its proper place (5). 18 French town (5).

ing near it (6).

19 Taking it easy in the mutter of having been nettled? (7). 20 The first person as subject (5). 21 A final letter (5).

22 Indict (7). 23 This ally is not to the front (5). 24 Give (5). 26 Most people are prone to go this (5).

29 Ma died to make it (6). 31 The sum as it changes to a keen one (10). 32 Even ships don't have it (4). 33 Obsolete protection for war-

ships (two words-7, 3). 2 Flighty confession from

Eastern country (4). 3 Cut out mostly, as a bird (6).

4 Shuke out of 26 across perhaps

B Part of itself indeed (5).

B A famous cricketer is indicated 7 is this sheet of water often

rumed by its heed! (10) o The speciators in it like to see it at cricket (two words—5, 5). 13 One would probably be openmouthed at having this and its fellow closed (7).

14 Employ (7). 15 The last two letters of this game implement may help to win the first six (10). 16 In time even to start with (10). 17 More than the back is cheerless

18 It is hurtful but will vanish in any surrounding (5). 25 One of the blues (6).

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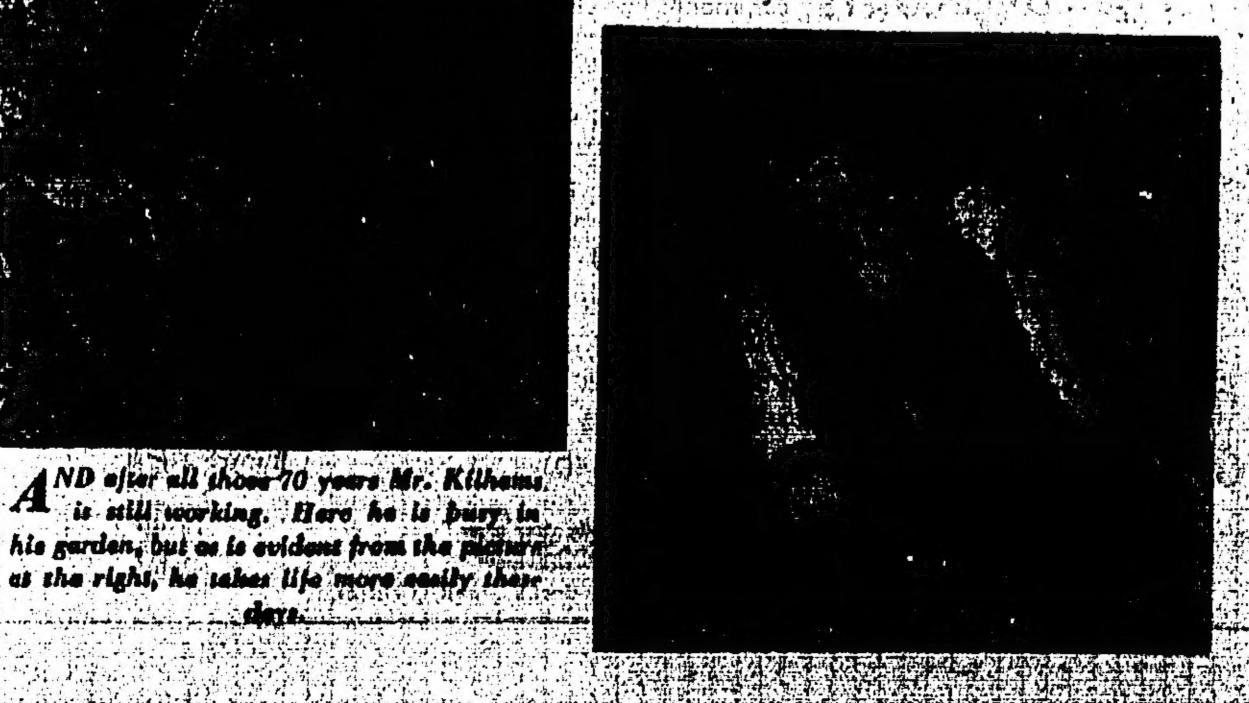
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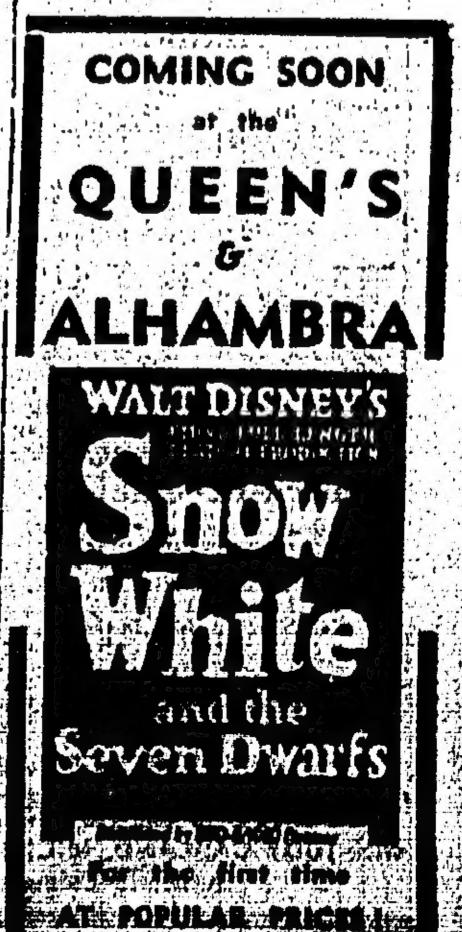
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Ataturk Fools

ANKARA, Oct. 28. It is announced that no further bulletins will be issued following the bulletin of last night, which stated that the acute symptoms of Kemal Ataturk's illness have now completely disappeared .- Reuter.

ROYAL BIRTHS IMMINENT

Royal births in direct succession to

Greece, arrived at Athens to-day in There was no panic in the city, and anticipation of the birth of a child the soldiers are not retreating. to their daughter, who married Crown At 3 o'clock in the afternoon the gunboats lie off the S.A.D., Three

Nation's Art Treasures Sent Away

Some of the pictures from the National Gallery have been removed to places of safety, the removal taking place after dusk and under mili-

Mr. F. I. G. Rawlins, who is in charge of the gallery's A.R.P. while bombs were falling a mile and offered stout resistance to the enemy scheme, has made plans for the care a half away across the river, which landing party. The Japanese at

of the whole of the 3,300 pictures.

midnight to crate the pictures. treasures to indicate that they are morning. to be first for removal.

houses.

ing will be protected by sandbags, were working.-United Press. and the glass roof will be boarded and sandbagged.

MUST NOT EASE OFF Most public buildings in the heart of London have been supplied with material and black paint for darkenheadquarters of the L.C.C., has thick spot where the last bombs fell yeabrown paper already pasted over many of the windows.

While the Home Office is satisfied with the progress of gas-mask distribution, it emphasises that there must be no sluckening in the work areas in Hankow suffered the most because of apparent easing in the as a result of the mass hir raids coninternational situation.

Dollar Liner Detained By Japanese

Shanghai, Oct. 24. The Japanese authorities here have detained the Dollar liner President Coolidge, which is making its first call at Shanghal since the bombing of the President Hoover last year.
The President Coolidge is carrying National City Bank and Chase Bank

silver shipments from Shanghai to the United States. It is reported that the United States

to clear the port this morning. The silver shipment is mostly table incidents." jewelry and table-ware which Chinese According to present plans the Warships and riaval planes patriots have contributed to the U.S.S. Guam is down-river at the bombarded the Bocca Tigris and Chinese war chest.-Uni'ed Press.

HAVOC IN HANKOW

Continuous Raids By Japanese Planes

HANKOW, Oct. 24. I OW-FLYING SQUADRONS of Wuchang foreshore soon after 6 o'clock yesterday morning. They

Royal births in direct succession to the throne are imminent in two Near-Eastern kingdoms.

The parents of Princess Frederika. the 21 year-old Crown Princess of Corner arrived at Athens to-day in These was to provide the city and the city over Hankow for two hours,

Prince Paul of Greece last January.

nine heavy bombers returned to lying close alongshore.—United Press. In Egypt, the 17 year-old Queen Farida, who married King Farouk also last January, has moved to Ras Is expected within a week or iwo—Reuter:

In Egypt, the 17 year-old Queen railway terminus. They flew very high, but their necuracy was unmistakable. They started another two fires, in addition to the one caused during the morning, and which was still burning. The three fires connumber of points forming the outer of Washing was a first the fire of the Yangtze River on a number of points forming the outer of Washing was a first to the first th flames were seen.

Only one bomber was left at 3.20, but four more joined it in the same area. It was notable that apart flercest at points southeast of from one or two alarms early in the Ocheng, where the Japanese landed morning, none was sounded after- on October 23. The first Japanese wards in the city, which apparently landing was successfully repulsed considered itself in a continued state after which the enemy landed more of air alarm.

Indicating the complete lack of rage with increasing ferocity. gunboat teams in progress.

They refused to stop the game rattled the clubhouse windows.

The central rooms, containing a handful of members were present kilometres east of Helshui, where the works of the Italian schools, are at the club flipping boredly through defenders are holding out their closed and the staff is working to magazines, while others were out ground. riding and playing golf, and not even In southeast Honan, the Japanese

The churches as usual were open, advance.—Central News. Some will be housed in deep tun- and other foreigners busied themnels, and others taken to country selves moving from the outlying areas, or in laying up supplies. Some The thousands of exhibits remain- of the Consulate and shipping firms

WUCHANG AFIRE

Hankow, Oct. 24. proper, at least three miles from the ese column.

BADLY BOMBED

Hankow, Oct. 24. The Liuchiamlao and Kusoussu Hankow .- United Press. ducted by over 60 Japanese bombers in different groups yesterday.

raiders. Four missiles fell at Wang- Lake fell. chiatun.

were also severely bombed by the p.m., after the fall of Linshanho at invading machines. The detonation 2 p.m., and thus the spearhend of the of bombs were clearly audible in the Japaneso attack is 31 miles from

One of the raiding planes flew low over Hankow and dropped a number of preposterous handbills. Throughout the day, Japanese scouting planes zoomed overhead conducting extensive reconnaissance. -Central News.

NO CHANGE MADE

Hankow, Oct. 24. American and British naval South China detachments, accord-Consulate is investigating the deten- spokesmen told the United Press ing to a communique from headtion of Coolidge.

Japanese customs officials have refused clearance papers.

The vessel was originally scheduled to clear the port this morning.

Spokesmen told the Onited Press in Tokyo, are continuing to press westward in an area south of Lungmoon, while transports, carrying army units, steamed up the Pearl River, and the troops landed at Tai-

seven-mile creek adjacent to the Chuanpichiao forts.-Reuter.

As-You-Were In Elections In France

Paris, Oct. 23.
The second ballot in to-day's elections for one-third of the seats in the French Senate reveals little change in the respective strength of the parties.

W-FLYING SQUADRONS of It is not expected that the results

Japanese planes bombed the of the third ballot, which are due later forms formshore good after 6 later to-night, will make much difference to the position.

The state of the parties after the were met by heavy anti-aircraft second ballet was as follows: Republicans 10, fire.

A single scouting machine flew low Union, three, Socialists, four.

A third ballot is necessary for 17 constituencies. The result of the

The U.S.S. Luzon and the British

tinued to belch white and black defence of Wuhan were effectively smoke, and occasionally 80-foot checked by stubborn Chinese resistance yesterday.

> Bloody fighling. casualties on both sides, raged

troops. Fighting now continues to panie among Hankow's foreign To the north of Ocheng across the population, United Press correspon- Yangtze on the north bank, seventydent visited the Hankow Race Club five kilometres east of Hankow, the near the airfield at 3 o'clock to group of 300 Japanese who secured find a soccer match between British a foothold at Huangkang have not

been able to extend their holdings. Chinese forces at Huangkang Huangkang were further menaced by As usual on a Sunday afternoon, Chinese forces at Paho, thirty

taking cover from the raids, owing to admittedly have made rapid progress At the British Museum red tabs the almost complete absence of anti- in their drive southward towards the have been placed on hundreds of aircraft fire since the middle of the Hupeh border. Crack Chinese units are being rushed to stem the enemy

JAPANESE CLAIMS

Hankow, Oct. 24. Very reliable, but unofficial Chinese sources declare that communications are still intact with Chinniu, 15 miles cast of the Canton-Hankow railway, and 35 miles south of Wuchang. A large fire had flared up in the where the Chinese defences are still northern-central part of Wuchang holding up the most advanced Japan-

The Yangtse situation is obscure, but at noon yesterday no Japanese warships had reached Twanfeng on the left bank of the river 35 miles from Hankow, or Kotlen, on the right bank of the river, 25 miles below

37 MILES FROM HANKOW

Shanghal, Oct. 24. n different groups yesterday.

Hsuchiapang railway station and Japanese forces were 37 miles by Its vicinity in Wuchang also sustain- direct air line from Hankow yestered considerable damages as at least day afternoon as Sinchow, at the 200 bombs were rained there by the highway junction north of Changtu

According to Japanese press "re-The outskirts of the Wuhan cities ports, Sinchow was occupied at 5 Hwangpel on the Machang-Hankow

highway. A Japanese naval spokesman declared that navy units had passed Twanfeng, and were not only 40 nau-

tical miles from Hankow. An Army spokesman said that Japanese forces last night advanced to a point 15 miles north-east of Tungshan, near Tsukoushih, which is 31 miles from the Canton-Hankow

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APPEAL TO PEOPLE

General Wu Teh-chen Rallies Kwangtung

An Undisclosed Place, Oct. 23. An appeal to the people of Kwangtung to help the Government which will include Hongkong scenes. to continue resistance to the Japanese figures, and portrait studies executed invaders was contained in a mani- in oil, water-colours and pastel. festo issued by General Wu Tehchen, Chairman of the Kwangtung bitter end. Provincial Government, yesterday. the province to do their best to help has been removed to an undisclosed

undertaking war-time service. corps and those who have no guns tary situation. should join the army. The rich It is learned that: General Wu should contribute their money," he called a meeting of the high officials.

eitles in North and Central China, and the hatred the Japanese have particularly for them, General Wu sinted that all people of Kwangtung should swear to light them to the

ART EXHIBITION

The annual exhibition of the Hongkong Art Club will be held at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Tuesday, November 8, from 3 p.m. to 7 p.m. and on Wednesday, November 9, from 10 am. to 7 p.m. Well-known local artists will exhibit their work,

General Wu revealed that the General Wu asked all people of Kwangtung Provincial Government the Government in the resistance, place in accordance with instructions especially in eliminating traitors and from the National Government and that it has mapped out a comprehen-"Those who have guns should sive plan for increasing its administimmediately join the self-defence trative efficiency to meet the mill-

Reminding them of Japanese atro- tung Provincial Government yester-

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